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FISK-ELLIOTT "CLEANED UP" ROUND VALLEY

Two Liquor Control Officers Answered Taxpayers Plea

TO END LAWLESSNESS

Serious Situation Was Taken In Hand By The State

Special Correspondence of The Press

COVELO, Dec. 20.—The mid-winter holiday—"Christmas, the birthday of Christ"—is essentially a home holiday, imbued with a spiritual significance. Feasting, gift-giving and glamorous festivities are associated with Christmas as well; Clubs, civic organizations, individuals take this opportunity to bring cheer and joy into unfortunate homes; churches and schools present programs and music; parties are scheduled and a popular time for weddings and many engagements are announced.

Is To Marry.

In Covelo, the lovely Miss Zella Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hill, and Grant Winters have announced their engagement. Miss Hill is wearing a pretty diamond ring.

Another Announcement.

Another — Miss Isabelle Spurlock, popular art teacher at the elementary school, whose engagement to Wayne Goodwin of Oakland was recently announced by Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Spurlock.

Will Wed Soon.

Ranger John L. Monday and Miss Jean Beard will wed before the New Year. Mr. Monday and Estel Beard left a week ago for Washington to join the bride-elect, who has been visiting a sister for some time.

Put On A Party.

Before leaving for the north, Mr. Monday and Grant Winters celebrated their last bachelorhood days, inviting friends to a stag dinner, given at the Ranger Station. The excellent food served was prepared by Mr. Monday and consisted of juicy broiled steaks, shoestring potatoes, vegetable salad and champagne. Toastmaster Archie N. Moore kept the boys in a jovial mood. Wm. Clark, C. G. Fish, Roy Storie, Whit Ham and Lloyd Barrass were among those invited.

Coming Back With Bride.

Roy Murry, agricultural adviser, Indian Service, will return with his bride before the New Year and make their home in Covelo. The Storie residence has been rented by Mr. Murry and the new home will be estabished there. The bride is not known here.

Big Home Stocks.

The local stores deserve mention, for many lovely gifts can be bought right here in Covelo and most business houses are decorated in keeping with the season. Gravier Bros. have exceptionally attractive window displays. Covelo Commercial Co. has a window featuring a snow scene, "Down on the Farm," with miniature buildings and animals and a small illuminated tree. Byron Hurt's store is decorated and filled to the brim with attractive gifts. In the evening many homes shine forth with pretty lighted trees within. James O'Ferrall has his usual lighted outdoor tree — Merry Christmas O'Ferrall was born in Covelo on Christmas Day, 1868, and still lives in Covelo. Mrs. O'Ferrall has been an invalid many months, losing her eyesight about a year ago.

To Stop Abuses.

F. L. Fisk and H. W. Elliott, State Liquor Control Officers, passed several busy days here during the week. In the future, Liquor Control Officers are going to be active in this part, especially in regard to the liquor supply to Indians; and stiff fines and jail sentences will be meted out to offenders. A still was found and confiscated at the old Ham homestead, 15 miles east of Covelo, near the Ranger Station. No action was taken.

Sent Out Of Valley.

A negro, "Red" Donohue, in trouble before, was given a floater out of town, in other words "Tib" Fisk told him to leave before sunshine and not return.

Another Offender Caught.

Henry George pleaded guilty to vagrancy and was placed on a strict two-year probation for alleged delivering of liquor to Indians. Terms of the probation are, no liquor can be carried out of a barroom nor can he associate with Indians while drinking. Several other local men were put on the spot and given severe reprimands. Officer Fisk states "Possession of a still or any part of such, whether it be in operation or not, is a felony and carries from one to five years prison sen-

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VIOLATORS ON COAST FOUGHT BY OFFICIALS

Section Is Overrun By Illegal Fishermen At Present

NET IS CONFISCATED

Willits Man Caught With Remains Of Two Does

To protect against illegal fishing on the Mendocino coast the State Fish and Game Commission is switching deputy game wardens into that section. Deputy Ovid Holmes who, at all times, has his hands full, is faced with an added lot of illegal fishermen and hunters now active on the coast and needs all the game law enforcement aid he can be provided.

Killed Two Does.

Two wardens from the coast were in the Willits section last week and arrested John Toal and found the remains of two does in his possession. Mr Toal at first pleaded not guilty but after a night in the county jail changed his plea to guilty. He was sentenced to 50 days in the county jail.

Caught Spotlighting.

Tuesday night, while looking over the Navarro river for nets, the wardens arrested Adolph Viviani, of Fort Bragg, and charged him with spotlight hunting. He pleaded guilty and was taken before Judge C. M. Walker, of Elk, who fined him $50 and confiscated his guns.

Ukiahan In Trouble.

Sylvester Tuner, of Ukiah, was arrested and found to have in his possession 53 abalones, 48 of which were of illegal size. He was fined $25 by Judge Walker.

Confiscated A Net.

Wednesday night of last week the wardens secured a net in Ten Mile river and narrowly missed catching the netters red-handed. While the officers know who the net belongs to they did not see them put it in the river so no arrest can be made.

EARLY UKIAHAN DIED THURSDAY

Relatives Attend Last Rites At Sacramento Saturday

Mrs. J. R. McClellan, an elder sister of Mrs. Sarah Jane Chessall and a half sister of Warren and Walter Brown of Ukiah, passed away in Sacramento Thursday of a paralytic stroke, following a long period of ill health.

Of Pioneer Stock.

Mrs. McClellan was born in Ukiah and grew to womanhood in this city during the pioneer days. She was known here as Callie Brown, a daughter of O. H. P. Brown, who came to Ukiah valley with the first permanent group of settlers and who served on the first Board of Supervisors of Mendocino county.

Attended Funeral.

For over 50 years deceased has made her home in Sacramento, where she is survived by her husband, J. R. McClellan, a daughter, Mrs. G. H. Christianson, and two granddaughters. W. A. Chessall motored to Sacramento with Ukiah relatives to attend the last rites held there Saturday for Mrs. McClellan.

Resigning From County Hospital

Mrs. Eva Willis, R. N. resigned from the County Hospital Sunday and will stay with her son in San Francisco until the first of the year. Mrs. Willis has specialized in the care of tubercular patients and upon her return to Ukiah will enter the field of private nursing.

Tib Fisk Selected Head Of Employes

At last week's meeting of the California State Employes Association the following officers were elected : F. L. Fisk, president; Joseph Bingham, vice-president; Mrs. Bernice Faas, secretary, treasurer. Mr. Fisk succeeds Captain Austin N. Rawles as president.

MAD NEGRO IS SENT BACK TO FOLSOM CELL

Robert Sterling Was Too Dangerous For Insane Asylum

HE KILLS IF AROUSED

Hospital Urged He Be Removed From Talmage

Robert Sterling, negro, was too tough a patient to handle at Mendocino State Hospital and Tuesday Warden Clyde I. Plummer came here to return him to Folsom where, under the rifles of guards, it is hoped the negro murderer may be restrained.

Has Killed Twice.

Going to Folsom as a robber, he 10 years ago beat another convict to death and he was serving life when, a little over a year ago, he ran amuck in the lower yard and attacked another inmate with a pick and would have killed him, The guard was armed only with a club, and the big negro, using a pick as a weapon, beat the guard to death. He was found guilty, but, being insane, he was committed to the criminal ward at Talmage.

Will Kill Again.

It was feared at Talmage he would kill some one and a demand was made by Superintendent R. A. Cushman Robert Sterling be taken back. Robert Sterling, at Folsom, is known as a maniac who will kill when the impulse possesses him and an outbreak on his part may occur at any time.

JUDGE LIGHTED TREES FRIDAY

Outdoor Yule Display Object Of Awards Of Merit

Outdoor Christmas trees will be judged Friday evening when the committee of judges plans to visit every corner of the city in a conscientious search to discover the most outstanding decorations in several classifications named for residential adornment, as well as for the most attractive Christmas decoration in the commercial district, each type of which will receive three award ratings.

Wish To View All.

It is the committee's wish none be overlooked, and therefore individuals desirous of having their displays appraised or interested in some decoration they consider especially creditable, are asked to phone any of the following judges: Mrs. Charles Kasch, Mrs. Elmer Albertson, Mrs. W. W. Mellis, Paul Beaufort or Dr. R. E. Curtner.

STIPPS ARE TO MANAGE HOME

Probation Committee Employs A Local Couple To Act

Starting the first of the year the Detention Home will be under new supervision when Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Stipp move there.

Both Given Jobs.

Mrs. Stipp will be superintendent and Mr. Stipp will be assistant superintendent. It is expected the place will definitely take on the aspect of "home" for the children detained there.

Six Children There.

Six children are at the home at present. Mrs. Stipp, who is to do the cooking, will receive $75 a month and Mr. Stipp will be paid $60 a month, meals and living quarters being furnished by the county.

Arthur Harwood was here from Laytonville yesterday.

IS THERE DAILY

Santa Claus, in person, is observed right along these days at Morty's and parents should make certain they bring the kiddies to Morty's frequently this week.

PUBLIC FORUM MEETINGS

Ukiah's Public Forum meetings, when they begin in January, will be in charge of Ukiah high school with the multitude of details divided among faculty members under direction of Principal Charles M. Fulkerson. The opening date and place of meeting have not been decided upon.

VIOLATORS AT PT. ARENA ARE FINED $25.00

Pair Had 80 Abalones When Picked Up By Warden

MADE A UNIQUE PLEA

Thought They Had A Right To Take All They Desired

Last week Lea Best and W. J. Van Schyer who have commercial fishermen's licenses, were brought before Justice of the Peace James Moungovan at Point Arena by Game Warden Leo Mitchell and charged them with possession of too many abalones.

Had Wrong Idea.

The fishermen thought their commercial license gave them the right to catch as many abalone as they could (they had 80) as long as they were seven inches over all, but a hearing proved they could only have 10 abalone in District 2½ and could not sell them.

Fined $25 Each.

So Justice Moungovan fined them each $25 and Warden Mitchell took charge of the abalone and gave them where they would be used.

Another Offender Caught.

Henry Hall was also fined by Judge Moungovan for having too many abalone.

WM. LILLEY TO LIE ON COAST

Piercy Man Buried At Little River Monday Last

William Lilley, a pioneer of the northern portion of the county, died Sunday night in St. Francis' Hospital, San Francisco, a heart attack proving fatal.

Came From Coast.

Born in Albion, July 6, 1868, when a young man he moved to Piercy and later Mr. and Mrs. Lilley opened the famous Redwood Tree store at Piercy. Funeral services were held in Ukiah Monday and interment was in Little River cemetery.

A Fine Citizen.

Deceased was greatly admired by all who knew him for his fine character and sterling worth. Mr. Lilley is survived by his widow and two sisters, Mrs. George Ottoson, of Ukiah, and Mrs. Elmer Wolfe, of Roseville, and two brothers, John Lilley, of Roseville and Walter Lilley, of Palo Alto.

The Pallbearers.

Rev. L. S. Brown officiated at the last rites and Mrs. Annie Richey sang "Rock of Ages" and "Lead Kindly Light," with Mrs. Gladys Richey accompanying her. Pallbearers were C. M. Mannon, I. M. Brazier, George Ward, Judge J. C. Hurley, Samuel McCush and C. C. Kirk.

Gobbi Heirs Sell 20 Acres Of Ranch

For $100 an acre 20 acres of the Gobbi ranch in the western part of the city have been sold to Ralph Hogan, who operates a card room and soft drink place here.

HE MADE GOOD

Former Senator Harry Perry, of Humboldt county, was here visiting relatives Thursday. Senator Perry made an excellent member of the upper house at Sacramento a few years ago and in his later defeat the taxpayers lost an able and honest advocate for sane legislation.

FRUIT STOLEN

Mrs. Allen P. Barnes, of Navarro, reports the theft of 48 jars of choice fruit from her home on the coast.

WHEN HIS PAL DISAPPEARED JACK GAVE UP

Pitiful Ending For A Dog That Could Not Understand

GREAT HEART BROKEN

Animal Who Showed A Rare Intelligence Feared Desertion

Everyone hereabouts will recall the tragedy which befell Floyd Startin just a month ago this time — How, nearing midnight Thanksgiving eve, his dog Jack, chained outside, began to moan and whine in a low, mournful way and how Floyd, having heard that, when a dog carried on that way, some one nearby was going to die, lay, fear-possessed for three hours and how Jack, by some unknown dog maneuvering, got a slip-proof collar off his neck and, getting to the door, worked to turn the door knob for more than two hours and, at last, getting into the room pushed, led and pleaded with Floyd until he got him into the nearby room Floyd's mother, who had been sick, was sleeping in and, you will remember Floyd, touching the face and hands of his mother, found them cold and, apprehensive his mother was dead, ran to the home of the parents of his boy pal, Neil Anker, and Jack trotted along at the side of his young master and Mr. and Mrs. Anker returned to the little home where Floyd and his mother had been living, only to find Mrs. Startin dead, Jack once more trotted by the side of little Floyd, trying to stand by him in his trouble, and how Floyd became sick and a relative came here and took Jack away, intending to keep the dog until Floyd was well enough to be taken to the relative's home!

They Were Afraid.

Those who know dogs and appreciate the wonderful attachment that is sometimes formed by a dog for his owner, feared at the time it perhaps was not the best thing to do — to separate Jack from Floyd and verification the fear so felt at the time was well founded has come from the south where Jack was taken in news Jack is dead.

He Couldn't Understand.

Jack was a big, husky dog and the writer, who on his way to work, used to stop and make friends with him, does not believe sickness brought the end to the days of Jack. It is more likely Jack pined over the absence of the small boy he loved, that in his dog heart he could not fathom why he should be separated from the little lad he idolized. So Jack, down south, alone, among people he did not know, likely figured in his dog way, it all was not worth while — He did not know that, up here, in Ukiah, Floyd was sick and thinking a lot about him—Jack just could not go on and wearily he walked off and laid down and died.

Don't Forget This.

Some people will read this story and tell themselves Jack died of some dog disease, but men who love dogs and who are loved by dogs will tell you—and they will be right—

Jack died of a broken heart.

New Official To Serve In County

Louis C. Phillips, for 10 years head of the alcohol tax unit of the federal internal revenue department at Sacramento, on Monday was appointed chief liquor control officer for the state board of equalization in the Santa Rosa district. He will fill a vacancy caused by the recent death of Edward J. Hunter.

LOST AUTO

A man and a woman, strangers, are believed to have driven away the automobile of Attorney L. I. Gibson Wednesday night. Mr. Gibson had left the car in front of his law office. It was found Thursday near Sacramento by efforts of the local Traffic officers.

MET WITH BOARD

Supervisor-elect J. H. Hailiday, of Point Arena, was in Ukiah Saturday morning and sat in as a spectator while the board was in session to open bids submitted for the Hopland school building.

REGISTER PURGED

The purge of the Great Register, completed by County Clerk Burke last week, has removed 2086 names of registered voters, who failed to vote at either of the 1938 elections. In order to participate in any future election—state, county, city or school—these persons must re-register.

THIEVES RAID ORCHARDS AND STEAL APPLES

Truckloads Carried To City Direct From Ranch

1 OFFENDER CAUGHT

Game Warden Halted Man Carrying Off 25 Large Boxes

Over at Point Arena and along the southcoast apple thieves have been raiding the river ranches several orchardists having their entire crop picked and hauled away.

Game Warden Suspicious!

Wednesday evening a truck loaded with 25 boxes of apples from the Smith orchard was overhauled as it came through town and the driver made to unload while a Game Warden looked for unlawful game. Not finding any he was permitted to reload and go on to San Francisco where, he said, the apples were to be used for the poor. But—they forgot to ask permission before getting the apples.

Let Them Go.

Mr .Smith, however, allowed them to take the apples when they said they had been told he had offered the apples for charity.

BOARD TO HEAR SCHOOL MATTER

Supervisors Will Pass On Jackson District Annexation

The petition for annexation of Jackson school district to the Willits elementary district will be heard in the board of supervisors' room at the courthouse at two o'clock, Tuesday, January 10.

Want New High School.

There has been for some time an insistent demand in the Jackson and Laytonville districts for a high school at Laytonville, both being in the Willits high school district, and the petition, if allowed, is contingent upon agreement by the Willits board of trustees to provide the high school facilities wanted at Laytonville.

Transportation Problem.

Difficulties of transporting students from the territory into Willits has made it a rather unsatisfactory situation all around and the resident taxpayers feel they should have something more for the money they have paid as part of the Willits district.

Sightseeing Was Cause Of A Wreck

Failing to look at the road instead of observing the scenery near Squaw Rock caused a wreck Sunday morning in which Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Anderson, of Couer d'Alene, Idaho, suffered serious injuries and their daughter, Margaret, nine, sustained a broken arm. The car ran down the bank 100 feet and turned over. All of the injured were treated at Cloverdale. Officer A. W. Stultz reported the wreck.

THREE ESCAPED

Joseph Cisco, John Grube and Forrest Johnson, alcoholics under treatment at Talmage, escaped Wednesday and are believed to have gone to San Francisco.

AFTER HIGHWAY JOB

The name of Andy Johnston, of Fort Bragg, is mentioned in connection with those seeking appointment as a member of the State Highway Commission.

FORMER COUNTY WOMAN KILLED IN CAR WRECK

Mrs. Vera (Bowman) Pierson Trapped Under Water

DROWNED IN A SLOUGH

"Bill" Banta, In The Machine, Also Was A Victim

(San Francisco Examiner)

William H. ("Duck a Minute") Banta, San Francisco sportsman, and Mrs. Vera Pierson, of San Francisco, were drowned early Sunday morning when Mr. Banta's automobile plunged into an irrigation ditch on Grizzly Island in Solano county.

The car, almost completely submerged, was sighted by John Vine and Don Brazelton, workers on the island, 14 miles from Fairfield. They immediately notified Deputy Sheriff Harry Oliver.

Trapped In Machine.

A tractor hauled the machine from the ditch, revealing the bodies of Mr. Banta and Mrs. Pierson. Both had been trapped beneath the wreckage of the car after it left the road. The bodies were removed to the William Hansen mortuary in Suisun. According to Coroner Oliver, Mr. Banta left San Francisco Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Pierson to purchase two hunting dogs from friends on the island. At one a. m. the couple announced they were returning to San Francisco. Mrs. Pierson was driving.

Skids From Road.

On the Alexander Kellogg ranch, on the southern tip of the island, the car apparently skidded from the road, overturned and plunged into a nine-foot irrigation ditch. The ignition switch of the car had not been turned off when Coroner Oliver arrived on the scene with other deputies.

An Ardent Hunter.

Mr. Banta, 53 and unmarried, for more than two decades had been one of the state's best known duck and deer hunters. He owned exclusive duck clubs throughout northern California, which he rented to other hunters. With Al Malpas, he was co-owner of the Ramona Hotel at 174 Ellis street. Mrs. Pierson, 40-year-old widow, lived at the Ramona Hotel. She is survived by a sister, Miss Sue Bowman, of San Francisco.

Mrs. Vera Pierson was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bowman, of Laytonville, and Mrs. Ruel Stickney and Mrs. Nina Banker, both of Ukiah, are sisters of the dead woman. Mrs. Pierson had often visited here and, locally, was well known.

DEATH'S VISIT WAS FREQUENT

Grim Reaper Came More Often Than The Stork

The grim reaper visited Mendocino county more often than the stork, during November, deaths in the county totaling 37, and births 20, during the period, according to vital statistics recently released.

Talmage Has Most.

Talmage, with 14 deaths, led other sections of the county, with Ukiah deaths numbering six and Fort Bragg five. Two deaths were recorded at Willits, while Point Arena, Elk, Noyo, Westport, Potter Valley, Caspar, Covelo, Farley, Calpella and Laytonville had one each.

Had More Babies.

Births in Willits and Fort Bragg topped the new arrivals in the county, each city having five, while four babies were born at Ukiah, statistics show. Redwood Valley had two new babies, while Philo, Caspar, Camp 19, Calpella and Covelo had one each. Of the 20 births in the county 11 were girls.

NAMED FIRE CHIEF

George Dashiell has been elected chief of the Fort Bragg fire department.

Fred Rawles and son, Newell Rawles, were visitors here from Boonville Wednesday.

THE SIMMERLY RANCH BOUGHT BY OUTSIDER

Old-Timer Sells His Ranch At Spy Rock To T. L. Jeffery

LONG IN THE FAMILY

Property Is One Of Best In North Of This County

Special Correspondence of The Press

WILLITS, Dec. 19.—All our people appear to be getting ready for Christmas and the very atmosphere is now charged with the spirit of good cheer. In our business section small fir trees are now installed in the holes generally used for flags and most of our merchants have elaborate holiday displays in their windows. There are also quite a number of Christmas trees installed in front of private homes and these are lighted every evening. Most of our stores have an additional force of clerks to handle the special holiday rush.

Free Children's Matinee.

All of the children living in this vicinity will be given a Holiday treat December 21 at a special matinee at The Willits Theatre. The admission will be free to children and the picture shown will be appropriate for the occasion. When the entertainment is over a real Santa Claus, with numerous assistants, will hand every kiddie a bag of candies and nuts. Last year 400 children attended the Christmas free matinee and the number will probably be larger this year. Manager George Smith and the Lions Club are working together on this plan.

Fewer Turkeys, Higher Price.

The turkey shipments to the city markets will not be as large as usual this year, but the price of choice birds in San Francisco promises to be around 35 cents per pound. Large shipments will be made by express and some are being sent by trucks.

Denuding Forests For Yule.

For several weeks trucks loaded with Christmas trees have been seen headed south and every day numerous trees are shipped to friends in the Bay region by express.

Were Married Sunday.

Miss Bettie Lewis and Lester Carpenter were married at a pretty service at the Willits Baptist church late Sunday afternoon. The front of the church was a huge mass of greenery and flowers with green huckleberry and ferns predominating and numerous lighted white candles added very much to the romantic setting. The bride wore a white moira taffeta gown surmounted by a cloud-like full length veil and her corsage was very beautiful. Miss Frances Gurney acted as bridesmaid and Misses Dorothy Dower and Helen Quadrio were matrons of honor. The maids were attired in pink and blue gowns. The groom was attended by his brother, Arthur Carpenter.

Reception Held Later.

The long-form ring ceremony was used and Rev. John Winter officiated. The church was well filled with the relatives and friends of the contracting parties and following congratulations the wedding party adjourned to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Lewis, where the newlyweds were tendered a banquet and reception, after which they left on their honeymoon trip. This glad event took place on the twenty-eighth wedding anniversary of the bride's parents.

Met At College.

The bride was born and raised in Willits and after graduating from our elementary and high schools has been attending State College at San Jose where she met her future husband. The bride is an extremely attractive and comely young woman and has always been a great favorite with the younger set. The groom was raised at Paso Robles and since graduating from San Jose State College has been physical director at Mountain View high school. He is possessed of a nice appearance and has the reputation of being a fine, steady young man.

To Live In Mt. View.

Following their honeymoon trip the young couple will settle down to housekeeping in Mountain

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LOOKING THINGS OVER

ENOUGH TIME HAS ELAPSED since the election early last month to give men who understand politics a chance to look the wreckage over and analyze the contributing causes of defeat.

In the first place it was in the cards the Republicans were doomed to lose. The Hatfield split and the party-wrecking tactics the Lieutenant Governor employed did not do us any good and Artie Samish, regardless of how you catalog him, did a lot of damage to the cause of Governor Merriam. Then we got a real kick in the pants when the oil scandal, unannounced, stalked on the political stage and put on its act. Add to all of this the administration had a lot of weak appointees who, when the hour came to hit the ball, struck out. Then, too, probably as big a contributing factor toward defeat as any, or all of the others, was the second term aspiration of Governor Merriam. Hiram Johnson was the only Governor who was ever able to turn that trick, and he did it when he was in the very heyday of his powerful popularity and, at that, luck fairly boosted him into office when he got there. The Governor, too, made a grave blunder when he entrusted his campaign to a lot of political beginners who did not know politics and ignored seasoned campaigners.

Then we had wished on us all the vote-losing attributes a non-progressive party atmosphere brings with it. The platform did not appeal to anyone—the progressives cursed it and the standpatters threw rocks at it and seemingly to make success an impossibility the Cameron-Knowland-Chandler "Big Three" newspaper combine moved in on us and the Moving Picture magnates, who always have been heavy contributors to the Republican war chest, ran out on us, but, even at that, we polled a million votes and a party with a million votes is capable of doing a lot of things outside a political graveyard.

Before next election a lot of elimination will have to occur. Standpat leadership is simply not to be thought of. The old boys, who do a lot of claiming and no producing, should be relegated away back and a progressive platform, not to run on, but to stand on, will have to be accepted all around.

We should not even think about Herbert Hoover in our sleep.

Of course no one knows what will come up in the next few years in the way of a candidate to head the ticket, but, checking on all sides today, providing he does nothing to spoil his sitting pretty position at this time, leads this newspaper to think Attorney General-elect Earl Warren would be a gubernatorial candidate on the Republican ticket only the strongest kind of a Democrat could successfully contend against.

WHY DOES HE STAY?

REPRESENTATIVE THOMAS, Republican of New Jersey, criticizing failure of Secretary of Labor Perkins to force deportation of Harry Bridges, announced he will ask impeachment when Congress convenes. Congressman Thomas, a member of the house committee investigating un-American activities, made known his intention after a Portland police official testified Harry Bridges is a Communist and is seeking to "overthrow the government." Harry Bridges, Australian-born labor leader on the west coast, is involved in a deportation case instituted by the labor department.

That same day Captain John Keegan, chief of detectives of the Portland, Oregon, police department, testified before the House committee investigating un-American activites a Portland police investigation showed Harry Bridges and Harold Pritchett to be aliens and Communists seeking "overthrow of the government."

Harry Bridges is west coast leader of the Congress of Industrial Organizations. Chief Keegan identified Harold Pritchett as a Canadian who is president of the Timber and Sawmill Workers. He said the two men were "working under the guise" of labor leaders.

"What were they in reality?" asked Representative Starns (Democrat) of Alabama," acting chairman.

"They are both members of the Communist party," Chief Keegan replied.

"In your opinion," asked Congressman Starns, "did they use their capacity as labor leaders as a cloak to disguise their real purpose?"

"Yes," said Chief Keegan.

"What was their real purpose?" Congressman Starnes asked.

"To overthrow the government," said Chief Keegan.

The witness said at least 20 persons could substantiate his testimony and "give definite proof and facts" of Communistic activity on the Pacific Coast.

"In my opinion," he said, "the Communist movement on the west coast is getting to be a very dangerous condition to our government. Their political front, Harold Pritchett, was down into Oregon in the last election campaign trying to advise the people how to vote."

Chief Keegan said he could not testify personally as to the political activity by Harry Bridges except he worked through the longshoremen's union.

Chief Keegan said he has several affidavits purporting to show Mr. Bridges and Mr. Pritchett are Communists. He urged the committee to conduct hearings on the west coast, asserting many witnesses preferred not to give affidavits, but would testify if subpoenaed, because they felt such procedure would give them government protection.

"This committee should go out there," said Chief Keegan. "You will get information that will stagger the country — that will shock the country."

John E. Ferguson, also of Portland, the next witness said, he once held important positions in the Pacific Coast Marine Firemen, Oilers, Water Tenders and Wipers Union. Mr. Ferguson testified he joined the Communist party in June, 1936. "I joined the party to save my job," he said. "It was either join or get thrown out as business agent of the union." He said he has known Harry Bridges since 1935, and had attended "top faction Communist meetings which Harry Bridges also attended, in San Francisco, on dates too numerous to mention."

Mr. Ferguson said the Communist party on the west coast is so active it has been able to "lick some of our strongest unions." Mr. Ferguson charged Harry Bridges' activity "left a cesspool of disruption and dissatisfaction" in the labor movement on the Pacific Coast.

STORE OWNER DINES AIDES

William Rood Is Host To His Employes In Markets

Special Correspondence of The Press

HOPLAND, Dec. 19.—The P. T. A. held a meeting Tuesday evening at the high school auditorium. After the business meeting a social evening was enjoyed by members present, consisting of cards, followed by refreshments.

Going To City.

Mrs. Bessie Duncan left Tuesday for San Francisco where she will pass some time in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Myer and Mrs. M. E. McKoon.

Joseph Dauenhauer, of Santa Rosa, to whom Mrs. Duncan rented her hop and alfalfa land, has already taken charge and moved to a small house on the ranch.

At City Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Peters and two sons passed the weekend in San Francisco where they went to attend a dinner given annually at one of the prominent hotels by a relative of Mrs. Peters.

Don Ward and Thomas Williams passed Tuesday in San Francisco returning to their homes here the evening of the same day.

Mrs. Irma Patteson was hostess to her Bridge Club Saturday afternoon at her home here in town.

Were Club Hostesses.

Mesdames R. E. Shimmin, Perle Crawford and Wm. Owsley entertained the Garden Club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Shimmin. The affair took the form of a Christmas party with presents from a Christmas tree for each member present and also a farewell to Mrs. Edith Miller, who was given a handkerchief shower as she will leave soon to join her husband at San Quentin where he is a guard.

Miss Chrystine Burke, teacher of McDowell school, accompanied the children of the grades above the fifth to Ukiah Thursday that they might watch the process of the naturalization class conducted by a naturalization agent.

Attended Meeting.

Mrs. Don McMillan and Mrs. Frank Harmon motored to Paradise Lodge above Laytonville Monday to attend a meeting of the P. T. A. held there.

Farm Bureau Meeting.

Hopland Farm Center held a meeting Thursday evening at the high school auditorium. C. S. Myszka, of Ukiah, and George Winkler, of Potter Valley, were present at the meeting and each gave a talk on farm problems. Members of the Boys' 4-H Club presented their leader, Mrs. W. C. Peters, with a lovely leather brief case. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Father Is Sick.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huntley passed Sunday at the Hillside Hospital in Sebastopol at the bedside of R. Feige ,of Occidental, aged father of Mrs. Huntley, who is gravely ill there. Mr. and Mrs. Huntley recently attended the funeral of Mrs. John Huntley, who passed away in Petaluma and was buried in Two Rock cemetery near that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Muller, of Vallejo, are houseguests in the home of Mrs. Mary Rosasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Longstaff was in Santa Rosa doing some Christmas shopping Tuesday.

Hostess To Club.

Mrs. Ina Rush entertained her bridge club Thursday afternoon. Cards and refreshments were enjoyed by those present.

Frank Harpe, of Rockport, passed the weekend in Hopland with his family.

Each Had Operation.

Bud Dooley, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dooley, and the young son and daughter of Mrs. Art Beasley underwent tonsilectomy operations Saturday in Ukiah General Hospital at the hands of Dr. L. K. Van Allen.

Mrs. Marguerite Hetzel, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Alvarez and Mrs. Jack Hughes passed Friday shopping in Santa Rosa.

Entertained Employes.

Wm. Rood gave a dinner dance Wednesday evening at the Aurora Club in Lake county to employes of his various stores in Lake and Mendocino counties at which there were about 40 present. A most enjoyable time was reported.

Vernon, Rawles, well-known Anderson Valley rancher, was here Wednesday to attend a meeting of the Farm Bureau.

FAIR POSITION TO BE FILLED

December 30 Last Day For Applications To Be In

The Mendocino county committee in charge of selecting a Mendocino county young lady and two alternates to represent Mendocino county in the Redwood Empire building on Treasure Island states the position will pay $100 a month. The one selected must be between 20 and 35 years of age and a resident of the county.

Must Have Tact.

This is not a beauty queen contest and looks alone will not win. The successful girl must be able to meet the public, have a smile and work in the sales and information bureau on Treasure Island to help sell Mendocino county and the Redwood Empire to Fair visitors.

Last Day December 30.

The last day to file your application is December 30. File your application at once with the Mendocino County Chamber of Commerce, 318 Main street, Willits.

CHRISTMAS MASSES

Father Adrian Sharkey, of St. Mary's Catholic church, announces Christmas Masses as follows: Ukiah, The Convent, 7 a. m.; St. Mary's Parish Church, 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.; St. Patrick's, 9 a. m.; Calpella, 9:30 a. m.; and Hopland Parish Church, 8 a. m.; Rancheria, 9:30 a. m.; Hopland Parish Church, 10:30 a. m.

MIDNIGHT SERVICES

Following a custom of several years past Christmas services at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church will be held Christmas Eve, beginning at 11:30 with carols, and lasting until after midnight when celebration of Holy Communion will take place. The children's vested choir will participate in the singing of carols. Rev. E. H. Benson announces there will be but the one Christmas service.

Wandering Bull Killed By Auto

Miss Margaret Talkington, daughter of C. R. Talkington, had a narrow escape, Tuesday, while driving from her home south of Laytonville. Her car struck a bull which had jumped the highway fence. An oncoming car blinded Miss Talkington and she did not see the animal until it was too late to avoid collision. Miss Talkington escaped with minor injuries but her car was badly damaged. The animal was so badly hurt it had to be killed.

CERTIFICATE REQUIRED BY SECTION 2466, CALIFORNIA CIVIL CODE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, R. F. CLARKE is transacting business in the County of Mendocino, State of California, under the name of

PIONEER OIL AND BURNER COMPANY.

That my principal place of business is No. 305 North State Street, Ukiah, Mendocino County, California.

That my full name is ROZELL F. CLARKE.

That my residence is No. 303 Scott Street, Ukiah, Mendocino County, California.

Dated: November 25th, 1938.

R. F. CLARKE.

State of California, County of Mendocino } ss.

On this 25th day of November, A. D., in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight, before me, Henry C. Spurr, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared R. F. CLARKE, known to me to be the person described in, whose name is subscribed to, and who executed the within instrument and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in the County of Mendocino, State of California, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

HENRY C. SPURR,
Notary Public in and for
(Seal) the County of Mendocino, State of California.

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3—Two-apartment house in Ukiah, with income of $50 per month; never empty. Price $4000, terms. A sound investment.

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Preston Bldg., Ukiah, Calif.

Sidelights *of* Sadness

Being incidents connected with California's State Prisons as observed by A. R. O'Brien, editor of The Republican Press, who is a director of the State Board of Prisons of California.

CODE OF CRIME CONTENDS COIN CONTROLS

For days I felt I would not be able to escape the ordeal. At last I got a letter clinching my dread. I was asked to do what I had been hoping I might be able to avoid. As soon as I received the communication I sent word back I would comply with the request. Two days later I sat in the Warden's office at San Quentin.

A little while after my arrival I sensed some one was approaching me. My back was turned toward the door. Wraith-like a human being had come into the room from the death house, where men sit at the side of their grave for weeks counting off the days until they will topple in.

A voice, reflecting all the conversational finishings a thorough education, good breeding and exclusive social mingling provide those lucky enough to be cast in such surroundings said to me: "It was good of you, to make it possible for me to meet you." I assured my visitor, if I could help him in any way, I would be very happy to.

For the next 15 minutes I sat with and talked to—death. When he was not gazing at me, unobserved by him, I looked him over. I took note of the death house garb he wore, of the ever-present slippers doomed men are given when awaiting death, of the clothes, among which there was not a single item that would provide a self-destruction contrivance.

I was struck by the docile manner in which the doomed man talked. About his wife, whom he had, while crazed with liquor, killed, he spoke with a near-veneration. Two men whom he had relied upon and who, apparently, had betrayed him, he mentioned without bitterness. He blamed nobody and he did not attempt exculpation. He told me all about the killing and he did not spare himself. In parts of his story he seemed to be befuddled, but, honestly so, and he would go back and try to clear up these points and, when he had done so, he would look up and smile at me. He was a small man —of the aristocratic type and he had the distinction of being the wealthiest man who had ever been in a California death house.

It came time for him to go.

Gracefully he stood up and, in perfect form, put out his hand. I took it and, each of us said "Good-bye." He nerved himself to go back to condemned row and had gone a few steps when he turned and said: "I hope it will not be that kind of a good-bye," and he flashed a smile at me.

The grandfather of the man with whom I had been talking was a very rich jeweler before the great fire in Chicago. In the destruction of the city he lost a vast amount and, with it, his reason and thereafter he died, insane.

My doomed guest's mother at childbirth lost her mind and, afterwards, had been a patient in a private sanitarium for mental cases near Brooklyn, New York.

The brother of the convicted man was an Episcopalian minister and, while in France, seized with an attack of insanity, went into a Cathedral at Nice and from a high point in the structure, jumped to his death.

At the present time a sister of the man whose life had been declared forfeited is in a mental institution, at Brookline, just outside Boston, incurably insane.

With that background of insanity facing me, my sense of fair play forced me to the conclusion, surely, the great State of California would instruct its psychiatrists to examine this condemned man, so saturated with the insanity of his antecedents, and Justice would prevail.

And this morning I read in the city newspapers Governor F. F. Merriam had reprieved Major Allan Boggs for 90 days in order that his case might be investigated. I believe such action is the right one, but, opposed to my line of thought is the united opinion of the population of condemned row — Every man in the deathhouse utters the conviction Major Allan Boggs will not die, not because he is insane, but, because he has too much money. Embittered murderers, whose garments smell of blood, hold to the conviction—and will not be swerved from it — no rich man ever has been hung in California.

It is their code of crime.

Press Want Ads Always Bring Results

County News

Turkeys are selling more reasonably than at this time last Christmas season.

The Merchants Association may be absorbed by the Chamber of Commerce at Ukiah.

Gambling in pool halls, where card sharks fleece the unwary, is becoming a public scandal in the county.

If you fail to read The Republican Press you will not get all of the news of Mendocino county.

Extension of hop agreements is being discussed and supported by Ukiah valley hop growers.

Rights-of-way for the re-alignment of Redwood Highway between Hopland and Ukiah have all been signed up.

The white line is being put down by highway crews between Hopland and Cloverdale.

The Ukiah Grange plans a big meeting and election of officers before the first of the year.

The Greenwood bridge, which was carried out by high waters during the last storm, is being repaired.

Mumps and chicken-pox have closed several of the rural schools of the county.

Ukiah's streets have been elaborately decorated for the Christmas holidays.

Classified advertising in The Republican Press rarely fails to get quick, satisfactory results.

A delegation of Traffic Officers of Mendocino county attended the funeral of Traffic Captain Al O'Connor, at San Rafael, last week.

Fort Bragg merchants have established a fund to award prizes for holiday decorations in that city.

Still another service station is reported planned for Ukiah.

Secretary of State Frank C. Jordan and sons are on the Mendocino coast fishing.

Midnight Christmas services at the Catholic church, Fort Bragg, will be held.

COMING FOR CHRISTMAS

Mrs. Dorothy Cureton will be here from Martinez the last of the week to remain for Christmas at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary McClellan.

Reports show the car operated by Aldo Simonini on the Mendocino-Fort Bragg road in which Alice Stayton, 15, was killed, was recklessly driven.

Reports from Little Lake Valley show many lambs are appearing on the ranges.

Feed, stockmen report, is unusually good and stock are in prime condition.

The State insists overloaded trucks will be kept off bridges of the coast.

Learn to write it 1-9-3-9.

Wildcats are unusualy numerous in the hills of the county and many are being killed.

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Assorted Sweet-Box

A Christmas special, including variously-centered chocolates, caramels, bonbons ,nut fudge, and many others.

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Also a Complete Line of Christmas Novelty Candies

This Christmas *and many years to come,*

Electrical GIFTS

Electric Toasters ..... $1.45 and up
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Combination Waffle Iron .. $5.25 up
Twin Waffle Iron $7.95
Electric Percolators .. $1.95 and up
Electric Irons ..... $1.75 and up
Electric Silex Coffee Maker .. $4.95
Hamilton Beach Electric Mixer $25.00
Special Peerless Vacuum Sweeper $24.95

SPECIAL,
Buck Gas Range — Equipped with Trash Burner, Oven, Broiler and Grayson Thermostat $109.50

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A CLOSE CALL FOR H. J. JUNE, –TOE "NICKED"

Anderson Valleyite Carelessly Handled Two-Bitted Axe

STICK SAVED HIS FOOT

Sharp Blade Sheared Off The Sock Of The Victim

Special Correspondence of The Press

ANDERSON VALLEY, Dec. 18. —Notices have been received by all Farm Center members urging them to attend the next regular meeting December 19 when the annual election of officers for the ensuing year will be held. Following the regular meeting The Mendocino County Agricultural Conservation Association will take charge and elect members and alternates for the community committee for Anderson Valley to represent this community at the coming convention of the association. Refreshments will be served following adjournment by the social committee of the Farm Center, which is headed by Mrs. R. E. Brown.

Suffers From Injury.

Mrs. T. J. Vestal, who sustained a broken rib some months ago which failed to knit, has been in considerable pain this past week and is under the care of a local doctor. Mrs. Vestal's age is responsible for the injury not healing properly as she is past 90.

Schools Are Closing.

Indian Creek school will close with a Christmas program December 21 and Shields December 22. Miss Beth Willis is teacher at Indian Creek and Mrs. Hazel Nobles at Shields.

Mumps Spreading.

Mrs. James Peterson and Mrs. M. C. Gowan are among the adults who have been confined to their homes with mumps the past week and other new cases are scattered here and there throughout the valley. Some of the children of the Burt Paul family have suffered three attacks.

Had Close Call.

Judge H. J. June had a narrow escape from serious injury Friday when a double-bitted axe he was using caught a vine which deflected the blow, bringing the axe down through the end of his shoe, but fortunately a stick lying beside his foot caught the full force of the blow. The end of his toe was barely nicked but a piece was sliced out of his sock and a good-sized slash made in the toe of his shoe.

Wilson Cook is enjoying a week's vacation in Fresno where he is the houseguest of friends.

Home For Holidays.

Miss Mary Gowan, who is attending University of California, is home to pass her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Gowan.

Mrs. H. V. Nichols passed several days in Fort Bragg having dental work attended to. She was a guest of her mother, Mrs. G. West.

Attended Cloverdale Ceremony.

Mrs. Hale Burger was installed as Worthy Matron of the Eastern Star at Cloverdale, Tuesday evening. Others from here who attended the installation were Mrs. D. H. Van Zandt, Mrs. J. A. Brown and Mrs. H. J. Cox.

Have A Son.

A son, weighing nine pounds and two ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Palmer, nee Jessie Robinson ,at the Ukiah General Hospital December 15. This is their first child. Dr. J. J. Kirwin was the attending physician.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. St. John were San Francisco visitors part of last week. During their absence the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. St. John, came up from Santa Rosa and operated their place of business.

Put On Play.

The high school Junior class presented "The Boss of the Powderhorn," a three-act comedy drama in the school auditorium Friday evening, the cast being as follows: Jo-Anne Guisti, Juanita Andrews, Jack Clow, Harry Prather, Frank Giovannetti, Stanley Reilly, Harold Price, Irvin Paul, Wayne Presley, Herbert Philbrook and Stanley Burger. They were well cast and all turned in a good performance. The play was directed by Miss Alice Le Fevre. During intermissions the school band of 41 pieces, directed by Professor J. H. Decater, entertained.

Is At Home.

Robert Rawles is enjoying his vacation from University of California at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Rawles.

Foot Is Infected.

Mrs. G .W. Johnson has had a badly infected foot caused from stepping on a nail. She is now able to get about again.

Mrs. E. Farrer Ill.

Mrs. Ernest Farrer has been confined to bed the past week. Her sister, Mrs. James Dutro, has been serving as nurse, assisted by Mrs. Nichols.

Back From Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Lamastus and son, George, Mrs. Ernest Lamastus and three children returned from a motor trip to their home state of Texas, Sunday. They report a pleasant vacation.

Going To City.

Mrs. R. H. Rawles is planning to pass the Holiday season in San Francisco as the guest of her daughters.

Mrs. L. H. Farrer and Miss Era B. Bohannon motored to Ukiah Tuesday.

Jimmy Babcock, who is attending an art school in Los Angeles, is passing his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Babcock.

Had A Program.

Signal school closed with a Christmas program Friday. Miss Alyce Finne is teacher there and was complimented on the entertainment, which was as follows: Welcome, Joan Berry and Jean White; Grandfather's Clock, girls' chorus; Plantation Melodies, school chorus; Second Valse, Godard Op. 56, Mafalda Guisti; Act 1 of Christmas Play; violin solo, Mafalda Guisti; Act 2 of Christmas Play; violin solo, Mafalda Guisti; Act 3 of Christmas Play; Stars and Stripes Forever, Mafalda, Gene and Jo-Anna Guisti; Christmas O'er All The Land, Jean White; Christmas in Foreign Countries, school movie; There Are Many Flags, school ensemble; Good Night, Joy Lyons.

VACATION AT ORR'S

Miss Bernice Weger will reach Ukiah today from San Francisco and will pass the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Weger at Orr's Springs.

Rockport Road Work Closed Until Spring

County Surveyor Ed Smith has reported to the board of supervisors completion of Section six of the Rockport to Leggett Valley road, which leaves less than a quarter of a mile to be built when weather conditions permit resumption of construction. Cost of that portion of the road now completed is $7136 and is within $1000 of the price bid by Contractor Russell Ells for the whole of the original contract. Since the contract was let Supervisor Pesula decided upon an extension costing approximately $3500. This road is all new construction.

STOLE TO KEEP HOME INTACT

Wynn Powers Gives Reasons Why He Became A Rustler

Wynn M. Powers, Jr., arrested recently at Covelo for theft of five head of cattle from the J. S. Rohrbough range in Round Valley, appeared for arraignment in superior court Friday and pleaded guilty. He was represented by Attorney Frank Taft, who moved to have the matter referred to Probation Officer Scott for investigation. The report was set for hearing January 6 at two p. m. at the defendant's personal request.

Frank Confession.

Before the court, the young man made a straightforward statement and told a frank story of the urge which caused him to commit the crime, chief of which was his hope of accumulating funds sufficient to provide a home for the girl he married a year ago and end their separation which had been brought about, he said, by her parents, abetted by his own inability to properly provide for her. Mrs. Powers was with her husband in court.

A GLORIOUS STORY FOR US ALL!

Shirley Temple is herself in "Just Around The Corner," and if you met her on her cross-country trip you know how grand that is! Her latest 20th Century-Fox film, showing at The State Theatre Sunday and Monday, matinee and evening, features Charles Farrell, Joan Davis, Amanda Duff, Bert Lahr and Bill Robinson.

Funeral Saturday Of Mrs. V. Lambert

Mrs. Victoria Lambert was laid to rest at the local cemetery Saturday afternoon with Rev. Theo. Matlock officiating at the graveside services. Deceased passed away Thursday in Santa Rosa where she had lived the past few years, having moved there from Ukiah. She was a native of Kansas. Surviving her are her children, Mrs. A. F. Wagar and Mrs. May Lane, of Santa Rosa, and William Lambert, of Willits. The Eversole Mortuary was in charge of arrangements.

ATTENDED MEETING

George P. Anderson returned from San Francisco Wednesday evening after having been in the city attending a meeting of the executive board of the Redwood Empire Association.

Cheetham Sentenced To 9 Months In Jail

Acting on the recommendations of Probation Officer Scott's report, leniency was denied R. E. Cheetham Friday in superior court and the confessed author of no-fund checks was sentenced to nine months in the county jail. He was picked up reecntly on a warrant issued in 1935 which contained a number of such charges. He had just returned from the middlewest when arrested.

HAS NEW DE SOTO

Dr. G. K. Abbott took delivery of a new 1939 custom-built De Soto sedan, Thursday, through R. A. Millard of the North State Garage. The car is beautiful in line and a pleasure to drive with its many new mechanical features.

LAND IS TAKEN COIN LACKING?

Suit Was Commenced By Broggi's For State Neglect

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Broggi have begun action against the State to secure payment for land taken in highway construction near Manchester.

What Claim Is.

Their suit, filed last week, claims the representatives of the state obtained their permission to possession of the land by promising to deliver to the Broggis $1237.60 worth of lumber. This promise, they say, was never fulfilled.

Mendocino's Mill Closes Long Run

The Mendocino mill closed last week after a successful run of several months. The north side double-cut band mill was put in operation for the first time in several years, and during all the run on the log-raft pine the output was approximately 150,000 feet a day. Something like three and a half million feet of lumber was made from the logs taken into the river from the raft. The Company sawed up the available log supply at the boom of both pine and redwood also.

HERE FOR HOLIDAY

Douglas Williams came up from Glendale Sunday to spend the holidays at the home of his mother, Mrs. Gus Wallach. Douglas is a student at the Curtis-Wright school of aeronautics at Glendale.

TO HURRY WORK

Contractor Chas. Swanfelt, who will erect the Poulos apartments at an outlay of about $20,000, has a force of men at work on the building preliminaries and will hurry the construction as rapidly as possible.

Fort Bragg's Chief Of Department Dies

(Fort Bragg Advocate)

This community was saddened Wednesday when news of the death of George Moore was made public. Mr. Moore died after a lingering illness. George Moore was liked by all who knew him. For the past four years he has been chief of Fort Bragg Fire Department. He made a most satisfactory chief and was re-elected to his post each year, even though at the last he was ill and unable to continue his duties.

FORECLOSURE SOUGHT

Sam L. Gentry of Philo filed suit for judgment on a promissory note of $464.88 and eight per cent interest from February 27, 1936. An order for sale of the property given as security is asked, with a deficiency judgment. Jules Moore is defendant in the action.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Crawford drove to Lake county Sunday to visit friends and returning stopped in Ukiah for dinner.

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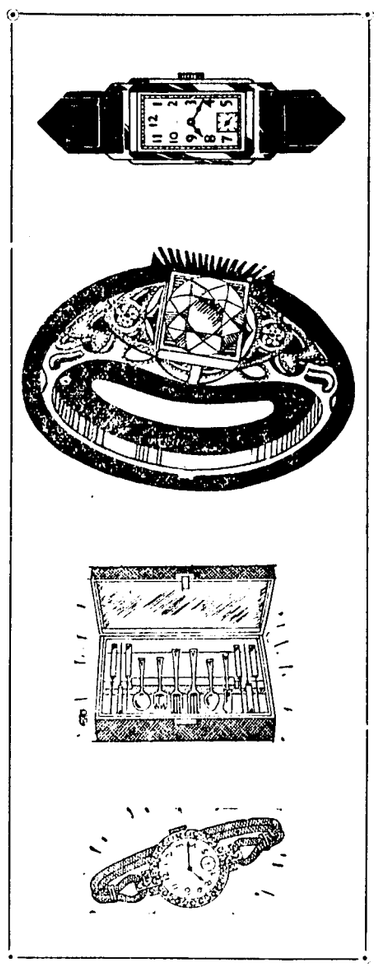

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Full Size Wagon **2.69**
It's streamlined—fast! One-piece steel body can't rip! Rubber tires, roller bearing wheels!

16-Inch Wheel Velocipede **4.48**
Every child will want it! Ball-bearing wheels—rubber tires! Red and white finish.

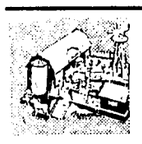
Easy to Handle Powr Tractor Only at Wards **11.88**
Looks like a real tractor! Extra strong! Extra large . . . bigger than an $18 auto!

Fiber Doll Carriage **4.88**
Holds 28-in. doll! Has a reclining back, brake and adjustable hood with windows! *$6 value!*

Easel Type Blackboard Worth $1.50 **78¢**
Blackboard is *masonite* (same as used in schools!) 7 charts, chalk, eraser! 39¼x18¼ in.

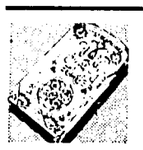
Easy to Use Toy Dial Typewriter **88¢**
So much fun playing "secretary"! Writes on full size office paper! 40 characters!

7-Piece Western Cowboy Suit **88¢**
Lariat, big gun, everything real cowboys use! Long pants—no other regular ones needed!



73-Piece Stock Farm **88¢**
Lots of fun for grown-ups and kiddies! There's a silo, barn, windmill! 24-page animal book!

Let's Play Monopoly **88¢**
$2 value! Fun for the whole family—2 to 7 can play! Game includes instructions.



Streamlined High Score Marble Game **68¢**
$1 value! There's skill in every shot! Non-warping board is 12x 22 in.! 7 marbles!

BIG VALUE! Child's Rocker **1.18**
Large enough for an eight year old . . . 18"! Durable fiber! Cretonne seat cover.

Bridge-Train Station Set $2 Value **88¢**
No set like this anywhere! 10 sections of track, 4 cars! Choice of freight or passenger!

Sturdily Built Rocky Horse **1.48**
For tiny tots up to 6! Won't tip! Gross bar through horse's head forms hand grip for baby!

Streamlined Rubber Tired Speedy Scooter **88¢**
A dandy! Unusually well made! Heavy steel frame, parking stand! For children up to 12!

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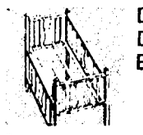

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MARY POMA TO MARRY SOON AFTER NEW YEAR

Announcement of the engagement of Miss Mary Poma to Henry Gomes is pleasing news to friends of the young lady in Ukiah and made public at a cocktail party given by her sister Miss Jane Poma at her home in San Francisco Sunday afternoon from four to six o'clock to a number of friends in honor of the bride-elect, who proudly displayed her diamond engagement ring.

Miss Poma is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Poma, well known residents of this community and sister of Mrs. F. Bricarelli, of Ukiah, and grew to young womanhood here and received her education in the schools of Ukiah where she is a general favorite, being a charming and vivacious young woman. Her brothers are Emil Poma and Angelo Poma.

Mr. Gomes is a fine type of young man and has visited here on numerous occasions. He is an old acquaintance of Al Sousa, whose wife is a cousin of Miss Poma. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Antone Gomes of Oakland and a brother of Mrs. Lillian Silver of Stockton.

Miss Jane Poma and the young couple will arrive the last of the week to pass Christmas at the family home in Redwood Valley and receive the parental blessing.

JOBS DAUGHTERS

Plans to install Jobs Daughters' officers December 26 were discussed at the last regular meeting of the order. Christine Smith will succeed Irene Sandelin as Honored Queen. The Guardian Council will sponsor an evening of dancing for Jobs Daughters and their escorts following installation exercises.

Entertainment following election was arranged by Betty Jane Mustard. Barbara Mustard presented two piano solos, Walter Eversole two accordion solos, and Dwight Gibson was seen in two tap dances, accompaniment being by Carol Kasch. Refreshments were served as arranged by Kathleen Thurston.

GUEST OF DAUGHTER

Mrs. T. M. Cleland left Thursday for San Francisco to pass the holiday fortnight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lewick and son, Bobby Lewick. Mrs. Lewick is the daughter of Mrs. Cleland.

STUDENT ON HOLIDAY

Miss Hazel Hunt arrived Monday from Berkelely, where she is a junior at the University of California, to pass the Christmas vacation with her parents.

COMING FOR HOLIDAY

Miss Wilda Holland, teacher in the city schools, will come from San Francisco to pass the holiday weekend with her father, W. K. Holland, and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Holland.

ENTERTAINED ON COAST

William Cannarr, son of Mrs. Grace T. Cannarr, and his bride of a few weeks visited in Fort Bragg last week and were entertained at the Kenneth Farley home. Mr. Cannarr, who is an officer on one of the Dollar Steamship liners, makes his headquarters in San Francisco.

HOMEWARD FOR NOEL

Miss Laura Kaiser and Miss Audrey Hollenbeck will enjoy Yuletide with relatives in Oakland, and Miss Kathern Macklin with relatives at Middletown. The three young ladies are local faculty members and share an attractive apartment during the school year here.

GUESTS AT MODESTO

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Sharp and young son will leave Friday afternoon for Modesto where they will be guests of Mr. Sharp's brother and his family at Christmas and the week following.

TO SEE EAST-WEST GAME

County Treasurer and Mrs. D. C. Smith will enjoy the holidays as guests of Mrs. Smith's sisters, Mrs. Betty Harris and Miss Edna Stitt of Oakland. They plan to stay through New Year's Day to see the East-West football game.

HOLIDAY AT CAPITAL

Enjoying the Yuletide season with their children at Sacramento will be Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Davis.

LARGE GATHERING FOR EAGLES ENTERTAINMENT

Christmas celebrations by the local Aerie of Eagles and Auxiliary for members and their families, were carried out in a big way, 350 enjoying entertainment provided Thursday evening at Steiert hall. Huge urns of woodwardia fern and holly berries flanked the stage, a gorgeous tree shimmered colorfully in one corner of it, and chandeliers throughout the hall were beautifully adorned with trailing ivy, while a canopy woven of red, green and white crepe paper streamers completed the gay setting as it hung high over all.

The program was opened by Edward A. Eversole, newly elected president of Eagles and gracious master of ceremonies for the evening, who announced there would be unison singing of "Jingle Bells." "Welcome Everyone" was the recitation given by Junior Pacini, followed by vocal numbers by Eugene Malerbi, with self-accompaniment on the guitar, when he sang "Nobody's Darling But Mine" and "I Wish I Was Single Again." A comical skit in which Mrs. William Schmidt carried on telephone conversations with members of the Auxiliary, of which she is president, revealed many domestic troubles concerning lodge business, to the merriment of her audience.

The lovely voice of Miss Angela Lucchesi was heard in "If You're In Love You'll Waltz," with piano accompaniment. Walter Eversole presented several numbers on his accordion, including "Santa Claus Is Coming To Town." The Fravel family next appeared in three Hill-Billy numbers, followed by the boys playing and singing "Comin' 'Round the Mountain," "Irish Washerwoman Medley" and "Red Sails in the Sunset." Attorney Wayne Burke, accompanied by Miss Wanda Burke, sang "A Wee House Among the Heather" and "She Is the Lass For Me."

President of Eagles Auxiliary Mrs. William Schmidt addressed the assembled members and guests, and Eagles President Edward A. Eversole extended greetings of the season. Stella Jean Pacini gave a recitation, "Announcing Santa," after which Slim Larsen of Hopland enacted the part of Jolly Saint Nick, distributing candy filled stockings of red to 126 children. Concluding the program was unison singing of "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here" and "Your Friends Are My Friends," with Mrs. May Hull at the piano. During the singing the children marched to tables where a supper of wienies and buns, chocolate and cookies awaited them.

Coffee and sandwiches were served the grown-ups and Parker's three-piece orchestra played for dancing until one o'clock, when "Home Sweet Home" was the final number. The delightful evening was arranged by Mrs. William Schmidt as general chairman, Mrs. Minnie Brown in charge of program, and Mrs. Frances Crinella in charge of refreshments. Assistance of large volunteer committees was greatly appreciated.

LIONS HEAR STUDENTS

A musical program presented by six members of the high school orchestra was the entertainment enjoyed by Lions Club at its regular Thursday luncheon at The Palace Hotel. The young musicians were Phyllis Jacobs, Carol Kasch, Jack Jacobs, Irwin Richey, Jack Allenby and Keith Leonard. Edward A. Eversole reported progress of the joint service clubs Christmas committee which will provide toys, food and clothing for deserving families. Al Tatman of the Signal Oil Company was greeted as a new member and Al Bechtol was welcomed back into the Club upon his rejoining it.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY

Children of Holy Trinity Episcopal Sunday school will gather at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening for their annual Christmas party. Upon arrival at the Parish house, following supper at home, they will be served refreshments in the form of dessert at tables decorated in the Yuletide theme. The latter part of the evening will be devoted to games, singing carols and gift presentation.

TOWNSEND SUPPER

Monday evening the Townsend Club held a pot-luck supper at Steiert hall, followed by a Christmas tree and entertainment for children of families present. C. A. Carlson was general chairman.

WED AT RITES IN VALLEJO SATURDAY EVE

Miss Gladys McConnell became the bride of Kenneth Heitz at a ceremony witnessed by a few relatives and friends in the Presbyterian parsonage at Vallejo Saturday evening. Both members of the couple have many friends here, Mr. Heitz having moved but last year to Vallejo, where he has prepared a home for his bride. The charming bride has resided here with her parents for more than a year, and is a sister of Howard McConnell of the local General Petroleum staff.

The week prior to the wedding, the bride-elect was the inspiration for a delightful shower at the home of Mrs. Herman Runkel, who was assisted by Mrs. Lyle Stuart as co-hostess. Feting the guest of honor were the two hostesses, Mesdames W. L. Sawyers, H. S. McConnell, Meybelle Cameron, Ray Sawyers, Alyce Sawyers, Carrie Maxwell, Ardath Hammond, Zina C. Meisner, Dollie Hastie, Bonnie Gaugenbaugh and Mary Freeman; and the Misses Beatrice Sotter, Roberta Runkel, Katie Garzini and Doris Mogni.

REBEKAHS ELECT

Cornelia Rebekah Lodge elected the following officers at last week's meeting: Mrs. Grace Williams, Noble Grand; Mrs. Ada Romer, Vice-Grand; Mrs. Emily Miller, recording secretary; Mrs. Beatrice Sweet, financial secretary; Mrs. Catherine Sloper, treasurer; Mrs. Della Heryford, trustee. Installation will be in January. Christmas songs were presented by Mrs. Ada Romer and Christine Burke, Mrs. Beatrice Sweet sang "I Will Take You Home Again, Kathleen," and C. F. Adams gave a humorous reading. Candles, berries and chrysanthemums in red were the Yuletide decorations for tables where a hot supper was served. Hostesses were Mesdames Catherine Sloper, May Beckley, Beatrice Sweet, Amanda Burke and Della Heryford.

HOLIDAY REUNION

Mrs. Irving Brazier motored to Berkeley early last week where she enjoyed a short visit with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Myron Brazier, who had just arrived from Spokane, Washington, for a short stay with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Mathews. Myron Brazier is attending a convention of the Johnson & Johnson Surgical Supply Company at Chicago, and will arrive in California the day before Christmas, when his parents, Attorney and Mrs. Irving M. Brazier, and sister, Miss Betty Brazier, plan to meet him. Miss Betty Brazier, who is a junior at the University of California, accompanied her mother home from Berkeley to pass the holiday month at the family home prior to the spring semester.

YULE FETE TOMORROW

Redmen and Kewanna Councils, Degree of Pocahontas, will hold their annual joint Christmas party for members of their families at Steiert hall tomorrow evening. Entertainment, refreshments and a visit from Santa Claus will be features of the affair. Committee members for Kewanna Council are Mrs. Fermor Howle, chairman, Mrs. Elise Figone and Mrs. Louise Magulas; and for Redmen are Robert Guidi, chairman, Joe Figone and Edon Bartolomei.

POTTER GRANGE DANCE

Christmas Eve will be a festive one at Potter Valley Grange hall, which will be the scene of a joyous holiday dance sponsored by the Grange at that time. Herrington's eight-piece orchestra will play and a midnight supper will be served. Decorations reflecting the spirit of the season will adorn the building.

NEWLYWEDS GUESTS

Coming from Hayward to pass the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Runkel are Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Sleipness, who were recently married in San Francisco. The bride was formerly Miss Marjorie Sawyers of this city and is a sister of Mrs. Runkel.

NOEL IN SAN FRANCISCO

Tomorrow Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilgus will leave for San Francisco where they will pass the holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Day. They will remain in the bay city to see the New Year in.

O. E. S. OFFICERS OPEN TERM AT A YULE PROGRAM

Kingsley Chapter No. 58, Order of Eastern Star, met Monday evening with officers for 1939 for the first time since their installation. Worthy Matron Katherine Martin, Worthy Patron Harold Brunner and their splendid corps of officers received many compliments for the manner in which they executed the work.

As chairman of the social hour, following the regular meeting, Walter Jamison presented Mrs. Ada Romer in two piano solos. "Holy Night," by C. H. Hess, and "Old Folks At Home" with variations. Mrs. J. H. Hansen then sang "Holy Night," afterwards leading community singing of several Christmas carols, Mrs. Ardis Conoly playing the accompaniments.

Following the musical program, all were invited to the banquet room where refreshments were served at a table in the form of a cross, centered by a Christmas tree gay with lights and tinsel, with greenery, red berries and red candles radiating in four directions from it. Assisting Mr. Jamison were Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Foster, Mrs. Hannah DeVoe; Mrs. Elaine Murphy and Charles Foster.

HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

Postmaster and Mrs. Earl P. Thurston are looking forward to the company of their two eldest daughters at Christmas time. Miss Norma Thurston will arrive Thursday from Bakersfield, where she is teaching, and Miss Jean Thurston will come from Los Angeles, where she holds a secretarial position, Saturday afternoon.

HOMEGATHERING AT NOEL

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fitch are looking forward to having their daughter, Mrs. Isabelle Schieck, and her small son, Donny, come from Redding, another daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Fanslow of this community, and Mr. Fitch's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Keogh, of Alameda, with them for Christmas.

Mrs. G. L. Robinson, eldest daughter of the host and hostess, is at Pearl Harbor, Hawaiian Islands, with her husband who is stationed there in the marine service until next September, when upon retirement the couple plans to return to this vicinity to make their home. In the meantime they have decided to keep in touch with their friends through The Press.

YULETIDE VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Martin and sons, Leland and Lovell, will enjoy entertaining relatives at Yuletide. Mr. Martin's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Martin and Dr. Margaret E. Martin, will arrive Saturday to stay until Tuesday, when they will return to their home in Berkeley.

GUESTS AT CHELLI HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ercole Chelli and daughters, Victoria and Effie, are looking forward to arrival of holiday guests Saturday. At that time Mrs. Chelli's mother, Mrs. Effie D. W. Bailie, her nephew, Robert Goldsworthy of Washington, D. C., who is a student at University of California, and her sister, Miss Victoria Bailie, public health nurse of Alameda county, will arrive to stay until Monday at the Chelli home.

CLASSROOM PARTIES

Last day of the fall term will be celebrated by class parties Friday morning at the grammar school. Mothers of pupils will be present to enjoy the program prepared for them, there will be a gift exchange among members of the class, and a Christmas treat in the way of refreshments as arranged by teachers and mothers for the younger groups, and by pupils of the upper grades.

AT DEBUTANTE PARTY

Miss Frances Woodhead, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Leroy Woodhead, of Albion, attended the "Baby Party" at which Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Oliver Tobin honored their debutante niece, Miss Nan Tucker, last week. Sunday The San Francisco Chronicle devoted a page to "six footers" in Eton jackets, debutantes in baby sleepers, and belles in gingham rompers and sunbonnets, as they danced to music by the "Dionne Quintuplets" in the ballroom of the old De Young home on California street, turned into a colorful nursery scene for the occasion.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Miss Martha Hansen was guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Vevoda over the weekend. Mrs. Vevoda motored to San Francisco Sunday and Miss Hansen returned with her, visiting until Monday afternoon, before returning to her duties as trained nurse at Mt. Zion Hospital. Mrs. Vevoda and Miss Hansen are sisters.

MOOSE ENTERTAIN IN A FESTIVE HOLIDAY MOOD

Tomorrow evening Loyal Order of Moose will entertain family members and guests with playlets and a Christmas tree at Steiert hall. Santa Claus will be there to distribute gifts to children of members, and he will also deliver presents to children of guests who make special arrangements with them in advance. C. A. Carlson is general chairman of the affair.

The card party given by the order Wednesday evening last at Steiert hall was attended by a half hundred. Prizes were awarded in whist to Mrs. George Fales and Mrs. Fermor A. Howie, who held first and second ladies' high scores, and P. J. Boring and H. Larsen, who held first and second high scores for gentlemen; Pedro prizes similarly went to Mrs. Lily Griffin, Mrs. Nettie M. Chase, Ed Griffin and E. Hull. A late supper was served. In charge of the affair were C. A. Carlson, George Bridge, Walter Tindall and Geo. Thomas.

HONORS GIVEN AT A CAMPFIRE YULE CEREMONY

Whanka and Qwannacut Campfire Girls met for their Christmas ceremonial at the community clubhouse Friday evening in a beautiful candlelight service. Entering they sang, "Oh Come All Ye Faithful" and, having formed a circle about a small Christmas tree laden with symbolic honors earned by various members, each placed her candle before her and extinguished it. The tree stood on a star base and at each of its six points were candles. The candle signifying work was lighted by Claire Purdy, that of health by Dawn Sherman, that of love by Dorothy Jean Pioda, that of Joy by Eleanor Sotter, that of good will by Victoria Chelli and that of peace by Alice Claire Wilsey.

In answer to rollcall each gave her wish for Christmastide which proved expressions of generous co-operation and good things for all. German and English folk songs were presented in an interesting program. "On a Christmas," by Dorothy Thompson, was read by Mrs. Vernon Anderson, it being a charming story of a real Christmas Day of about 30 years ago as remembered by the author.

Candles were extinguished in a pretty ceremony, that representing work being put out by Frances Robuson, health by Joyce Davis, love by Patsy Foster, joy by Betty Mae Smith, goodwill by Phyllis Davis and Bethalene Anderson. Greetings were exchanged on behalf of Whanka and Qwannacut groups when their leaders, Mrs. Vernon Anderson and Mrs. Ercole Chelli lighted candles of members in each other's units. "Holy Night" and "Joy To The World" were carols sung in conclusion of the ceremony.

Miss Dorothy Jean Pioda was hostess to members of the Whanka group at a gathering at her home following the ceremony. Whanka officers recently installed are Bethalene Anderson, president; Dawn Sherman, secretary; Betty Mae Smith, treasurer; Nelda Varney and Betty Enright, scribes.

Members of both Campfire groups are taking orders for popcorn balls for Christmas trade, as a means to building up their treasury.

YULETIDE AT LAFAYETTE

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Davis and daughters, Joyce and Janet, will leave early Christmas Day for Lafayette where they will stay through Monday with Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Powell.

REUNION AT FERNDALE

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Christensen and sons, Buddy and Billy, will motor to Ferndale to be Christmas visitors of Mr. Christensen's mother, Mrs. Johanna Christensen. Other members of the family from Ferndale, Crescent City, Lindsey and Pacific Grove will join them there for the first reunion of the Christensen family in many years.

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ON HOLIDAY ARRIVE HOME FOR YULETIDE STUDENTS

Miss Caroline Anderson arrived Saturday from International House, Berkeley, where she is a student resident while attending the University of California. She will enjoy the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Anderson.

Tom Cleland arrived last weekend from Bowles Hall, University of California campus, Berkeley, where he lives during his college year, to pass the Christmas season with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. O. Cleland.

Miss Lorraine Mankins, who passed last week with friends at Palo Alto following the close of the fall semester at the University of California, where she is a sophomore, returned home Sunday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mankins, and sister, Miss Alberta Mankins, motored to the peninsula to call for her.

Miss Josephine Ward is at the Scott street home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ward, having arrived last week from Berkeley, where she is a student at Armstrong's Business College. She will remain here through the holidays.

Doris Moulton arrived Thursday evening from Knox College, Galesburg, Illinois, and her sister, Miss Barbara Moulton, arrived Monday from Riverside Junior College to enjoy the midwinter holiday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Moulton. The reunion is an especially interesting one—it is two years since Miss Doris Moulton has been home at Christmas time.

The Misses Dolores and Mary Scholl arrived from Arcata last weekend to pass the Christmas holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scholl. They are students at Humboldt State College.

Miss Louise Byrnes arrived Saturday from Berkeley to pass the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Byrnes. Last summer she transferred from the College of the Pacific to the University of California where she is a sophomore.

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Chocolates — Holiday Delight; 5-lb. box 99c
OLIVES — Lindsay Green; med. size; pint 21c; Quart, 33c
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Mixed Nuts — New Crop; Two pounds 35c
Crab Meat — Namco Fancy; ½s can 25c

CAKE FLOUR—Soft as Silk, lge. pkg. 23c
FILBERTS—New Crop, large size; lb. 17c
COFFEE—Airway, fresh roasted and ground; Two lbs. 25c; Three pounds, 37c
SYRUP—Sleepy Hollow, pure cane and maple; quart can 29c
SALAD DRESSING—Duchess; quart 27c
JELL WELL—Double flavor, assorted 4 pkgs. 15c
STRING BEANS—Stokely's finest cut; large can 10c
WESSON OIL—Pure Vegetable; quart can 39c
PEAS—S & W Telephone; lge. can 15c
MAYONNAISE—Piedmont finest; qt. 29c
SOUP—Heinz, assorted, except chowder; large can 12½c
OYSTERS—Dunbar fancy; 5-oz. can 10c
BAKING POWDER—Calumet; lb. can 19c
HONEY—H. J. H. Pure; 24-oz. jar 19c
MARSHMALLOWS—Fluffiest; 2-lb. pkg. 25c
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FLOUR—El Grande guaranteed; 24½-lb. 55c

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MANNON ADDRESSED THE S. A. C. ON WORLD AFFAIRS

International politics were the subject of an interesting address heard by members of the Saturday Afternoon Club when Chas. M. Mannon, president of the Savings Bank of Mendocino County, was guest speaker last week. Alarm was sounded at loss of liberty under dictatorships, strife of civil wars and invasions, and insidious changes in governments of the western hemisphere. The scholarly summary was concluded with the observation the speaker believed present confusion of world affairs due to departure from religious ideals with a resultant degeneration of morals.

An ensemble of brass instruments led by Robert L. Sharp and a group of high school students afforded a delightful musical program. Taking part were Jack Jacobs, Phyllis Jacobs, Keith Leonard and Jack Allenby with Carol Kasch at the piano. Mrs. Olive E. Busch was program chairman for the day.

The flag pledge led by Mrs. Irving M. Brazier, reading of the collect by Mrs. Max Stowe, and unison singing of "Hark, The Herald Angels Sing," "Silent Night" and "Jingle Bells," led by Mrs. R. R. Byrnes, were preliminary to the business meeting over which Mrs. Lon Gibson presided. It was voted insurance premium be paid on the clubhouse and interest and substantial sum on the mortgage. Donation of $2.50 to the county Crippled Children's Association and of $2 to Mrs. Olive E. Busch, district chairman of Indian welfare, with which to buy Christmas candy for Indian children was also passed upon. Unanimous endorsement by the club was given Mrs. Verner R. Ronk of Santa Rosa as candidate for president of the district of California Federation of Women's Clubs.

A beautiful and stately rir tree was keynote of the Christmas decorations, which were also expressed in refreshment table adornment. Mrs. Vincent Giorno was chairman of the hostess committee and was assisted by Mrs. E. H. Smith, Mrs. Olive E. Busch and Miss Daisy Rodgers. The meeting had been postponed a week out of respect to the memory of Mrs. Lucia Hopkins, beloved member of the club, who recently passed away.

N. S. G. W. AND N. D. G. W. GIVE A JOINT CHRISTMAS FETE

Monday evening Native Daughters of the Golden West participated in their second annual Christmas party given jointly with Native Sons at Odd Fellows Hall. Ferdinand Faas as master of ceremonies, opened the program by leading community singing of "Joy to the World," with Mrs. Crystal Harp, pianist of the ladies' group, as accompanist.

President Alta Dillingham, N. D. G. W., presented children of McNear school, where she is teacher, in a number of entertaining selections. Following singing of "Up on the House Tops," as they drilled, there were recitations on the Christmas theme by Mae Coats, Irene Beghi, Jean Coats, Betty Brower, Mae Coats, Jewell Witherell, Lee Richey, and a trio in which Jean Coats, Irene Beghi and Betty Brower sang "Star of December."

Presented by Mrs. Harp were Jack Jacob, trombone player, accompanied by his mother; little Helen Corrigan of the Albertinum school, in a recitation and tap dance; Nadine Karplund in a recitation; and a quartet in which Dorothy, Nancy, Bill and Kenneth Harp sang "Silent Night." Closing the program was a play, "There Is Always A Santa Claus," by Miss Dillingham's pupils, which led up to the coming of a jovial Saint Nick who greeted young and old alike. As the children received stockings from him, Nancy Harp sang "Santa Claus Is Coming To Town." Musical chairs and other games were enjoyed, a shimmering tree reflecting the playful antics of the children.

A colorful figure of Santa Claus stood in the center of the refreshment table with cotton snow about him. Presiding at the table were Mrs. Alma Zimmerman, chairman, Mrs. Eva Brucker, Mrs. Olive Crawford and Mrs. Dorothy Bechtol.

ELECTED GRANGE MASTER

Elected Master of Ukiah Grange No. 419 at Friday's meeting, Attorney Wayne P. Burke will assume his new duties with his corps of officers at installation ceremonies planned for eight Granges of the district, as announced by Worthy Master Ralph Banfill whom he succeeds. His supporting staff will comprise: Frank Hubbard, overseer; Mrs. Rodney Jamison, lecturer; Marion Swim, steward; Ralph Banfill, assistant steward; Olive E. Busch, chaplain; H. E. Dewey, treasurer; Ella Butler, secretary; Keith Swim, gatekeeper; Sadie Phillips, Ceres; Lola Dumas, Pomona; Florence Owens, Flora; Florence Bull, lady assistant steward; F. C. Bull, member of the executive committee for the three-year term; Mrs. Amanda Burke, pianist.

Christmas decorations as arranged by Mrs. J. M. Sanford, program chairman, were delightfully carried out. Vocal duets by Miss Ernestine Gibson and W. K. Davis, to piano accompaniment by Mrs. Katherine Harvey, and a talk on "Christmas Customs" by Mrs. Olive E. Busch were enjoyed during the social hour. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sanford, chairmen, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Burke, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bull, Mrs. Katherine Harvey, Miss Florence Bull, Miss Florence Owens and Ed Crane served refreshments.

WELL BABY CLINICS

Dates for Well Baby Conferences for the month of December conducted by Dr. Edith F. Young are: Laytonville—Dec. 21, 10 to 12 a. m., 1 to 3 p. m.; Ukiah—Dec. 22, 9:30 to 11:30 a. m., 1 to 3:30 p. m.; Willits—Dec. 23, 10 to 12 a. m., 1 to 3 p. m.

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Going After Varmints.

John L. McDonald, of Redding, working under the Fish and Game Predatory Animal Control and in charge of the northern section of the state, was here during the week, being sent in by Gordon True, head of the main offices in San Francisco. Mr. True is a close friend of Wm. Clark, the two having been classmates at Davis Agricultural College. Mr. McDonald came to look the situation over in view of placing another trapper and hunter in this section under the Fish and Game Control. This is not to be confused with the Federal Biological Survey Predatory Animal Control, which Hunter and Trapper Jake Drake works under, and has been successful in this section for a number of years. However, this territory has been entirely too large for Mr. Drake to cover thoroughly and much of his time has been placed with the mountain ranges, running sheep, hence another trapper will be able to take care of the panther, coyote and cat control in the forests.

He "Called" Hawks.

Mr. McDonald, born in north Texas, proved to be a very fine and interesting character. While calling at one of the large ranches, the lady remarked on the trouble she had with so many hawks and was unable to dispose of them, whereupon Mr. McDonald said he would "call in the hawks to them and each could have some shooting." The demonstration was so successful the hawks came and practically lighted on the gun barrels. Clever Mr. McDonald is able to call other game as well, stating he learned this interesting accomplishment during his childhood days in Texas, being one of a large family he found it necessary to hunt in this manner.

Talked To Students.

Game Warden R. E. Tull, of Willits, gave an interesting talk at the elementary school Wednesday, pertaining to game birds. His advice to the school was to raise pheasants for their project instead of quail.

Broke A Finger.

While assisting in separating two cars with locked bumpers, Albert Winters had the mischance to break his left index finger in two places.

AMAZING DRAMA NEVER BEFORE TOLD!

Focusing on one single, flimsy craft in the Navy's heroic "Splinter Fleet," 20th Century-Fox's "Submarine Patrol," will be seen at The State Theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings. It tells the amazing story of the strange crew of civilian odds and ends and how trial by danger taught them to stand and deliver. Richard Greene and Nancy Kelly (upper left) share the romantic interest in the cast, including (right) Preston Foster, George Bancroft, Warren Hymer, (below, left to right) Maxie Rosenbloom, Douglas Fowley, J. Farrell MacDonald and Slim Summerville.

Sent To Jail.

Two Indian youths, Woodrow Whipple and Harry Henthorne, were arrested by Constable Chas. Lovell for disturbing the peace and sentenced in Judge G. R. Redwine's court to 30 days in the county jail, with a year's probation. If caught under the influence of liquor during that time, each will receive a six-month sentence.

Got His Degree.

Wednesday evening Jack Lovell received the first degree of Masonry in Covelo Lodge No. 231, F. & A. M.

Back And Better.

Ed Grist has returned home from Alameda much improved in health after a serious illness.

Raymond Langland is home with his family for the holidays from San Francisco.

Went After Car.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Johnston are in San Francisco where Frank Johnson will take delivery of a new car.

Lawrence Clark joined Mrs. Clark at Mill Valley and motored to San Francisco for the weekend.

Miss Vera Begley came from San Rafael Friday to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Begley, during the holidays.

Put In Phones.

Telephones have recently been placed in the mountain ranch homes of Frank Brown, Travis Bros., Trinity county, and Travis & Lynch. Lloyd Brown will also have one installed.

Seen In Town.

Out-of-town guests registered at Hotel Covelo this week: Bill Morgan, Spy Rock; H. W. Elliott, F. L. Fisk, Ukiah; J. Shipiro, M. Zitton and Dave Mayer, Santa Rosa.

Judge and Mrs. Will Van Dyke of Ukiah were weekend guests in the home of Senator and Mrs. G. M. Biggar.

Road Crews Have Done A Fine Job

Special Correspondence of The Press

REDWOOD VALLEY, Dec. 19.—The WPA has had a crew of men busy the past week cleaning the ditches bordering the roads of the valley. The Salt Hollow bridge is completed and the East side of the valley, will not be inconvenienced this winter by washouts.

Are Christmas Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reilly left the last of the week for Eureka, where they will be guests of Mrs. Reilly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Edmonds, over Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Tom Gullickson was at the countyseat Monday on her regular weekly shopping trip.

Few At Meeting.

The C. B. B. A. held a business session Thursday afternoon, but due to illness and the holiday rush, very few attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Villanova were business shoppers in Ukiah last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hargreaves and son, were dinner guests at the F. Anderson home in Talmage Sunday.

CHAS. McNAB IS LAID TO REST

Private Funeral Friday Held At The McNab Ranch

Charles McNab who, when a young man left the McNab ranch to go out in the world and seek a fortune, which he readily won and, about 25 years ago, retired, came home, in death, Friday and was laid away to sleep, forever, by the side of his mother and other members of the family in the little private burial ground on the big McNab ranch south of Ukiah.

A Private Service.

The funeral was a private one, attended only by family members and a few close friends. Of the McNab family those here for the service were Mr. and Mrs. John L. McNab, Mrs. Charles McNab and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Chambers, Robert Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Murphy, Mrs. Christine Finley, Miss Sue McNab.

Rev. Richard A. Van der Las, of the Presbyterian church, officiated at graveside services and funeral arrangements were conducted by The Eversole Mortuary.

Leslie E. Crawford, prominent horticulturist, has been confined at home by influenza.

TRUCKS TO USE WILLITS ROAD

Temporary Schedule To Take The New Coast Route

Just what the outcome of the posting of state bridges on the Mendocino coast will be cannot, at this time be determined.

Repairing Two Spans.

It was noted Mills Gulch bridge and Albion bridge are being repaired and will have their postings removed very shortly. Both of these bridges will be able to carry legal load limits. Russian Gulch and Jack Peters Gulch bridges are included in the tentative budget for next biennium; leaving only four posted bridges on the coast from Fort Bragg to Navarro.

Where Barrier Lies.

The trucking interests agreed that, for an emergency measure, they could truck through Willits if the Noyo bridge were repaired to permit legal load limits. This repair was estimated to be in the neighborhood of $5000. The only industry which could not truck over this route would be lumber. Repair of Pudding Creek bridge will allow Rockport lumber to come as far as Fort Bragg where it can be shipped by rail and water.

Are Stopping Trucks.

The results of posted bridges have been felt since Friday of last week, when Officers Rawles and Randolph started weighing trucks and issuing citations for overloads. Friday E. F. Redley, of Boonville, hauling lumber from Rockport Company, was stopped at Pudding Creek bridge and found to have an overload of 2350 pounds. On the same day C. R. Thomas, hauling for Mendocino County Retail Yard, was given a citation for an overload of 2200 pounds on Noyo bridge.

A Real Violator.

The worst offender of the week was the County of Mendocino, through its driver, A. F. Hinks, with an overload of 44,500 pounds. That is 22½ tons on a posted 11-ton bridge, or a total of 33½ tons—and the bridge is still standing and handling traffic!

Given A Citation.

Tuesday morning the Western States truck, bringing groceries and supplies to a Fort Bragg chain store, was stopped and found to have an overload of 12,100 pounds. The driver, Tino John Bologna, was given a citation to appear in court.

"It is the sincere hope of everyone on the coast those with the say-so in Sacramento will see their way clear to repair these posted bridges immediately and give the lumber and trucking interests on the coast the break they deserve," says The Advocate, "and those who went to Sacramento to meet with the engineers, and give them a true picture of the situation here, deserve the commendation of every citizen on the Mendocino coast."

CHRISTMAS TREE BY GIRLS LEAGUE

The Girls League of Ukiah high school has planned to brighten the Christmas season at the detention home by decorating a tree there tomorrow, and presenting each child some small small gift. Miss Audrey Hollenbeck is adviser to the group and Carol Kasch is chairman of Thursday's affair.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Raglin, of Yorkville, were here yesterday.

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LATE ISSUES IN THE COURT

Civil-Probate Matters Started In County Recently

The following intemperance matters were dismissed: Cecil Brown, Andrew Garzini, Perry Smith, V. A. Thorstrom and J. J. York.

Marguerite W. Jones vs Seth Jones. Action for divorce submitted on report of court commissioner and plaintiff granted an interlocutory decree on grounds of wilful desertion. Custody of two minor daughters given to plaintiff and an award of $10 per month each for their support. Custody of minor son given to defendant. Property agreement approved.

Matter of Helen Dodge, alleged insane. Dismissed.

M. W. Tindall vs Standish & Hickey. Defaults of Prudential Development Co., Swain, Standish & Hickey, co-partnership, and Land & Log Co. entered and actions dismissed as to Sunset Redwood Co., George Clow, Geo. P. McNear and C. J. Pesula. On stipulation further trial set for Feb. 26.

Bernice Moehling vs Walter A. Ungelenk. On motion of defense counsel permission given to reopen case and W. A. Ungelenk called and examined. Matter argued and submitted for decision.

Vivian Staley vs J. A. McClurken. Testimony taken and matter ordered submitted on briefs. Placed on calendar of Jan. 6.

Statements having been filed as to the status of the following matters they were continued for further action in 1939: Estate of William Caldwel, Dec. 8; estate of Filomena Viera, June 9; estate of John C. Munson, Dec. 8; guardianship of James and Joaquina Perry, minors, Jan. 27; estate of Amanda P. Day, Dec. 8; estate of John T. Busch, June 8; estate of John Sinovich, Dec. 8; estate of Amanda Souza, June 9; guardianship of Lois Bills, minor, Dec. 8; estate of Alice St. John, March 10; estate of Gustus G. Moore, June 9; guardianship of Albert Murray, incompetent, Jan. 6; estate of J. J. York, Jan. 6; estate of Granville H. Begley, Dec. 8; estate of Katie Price, Dec. 8; estate of James B. Rogers, Dec. 8.

Reports of inheritance tax appraiser confirmed in the estates of Eliza F. Joslin, Chris Mow and Mrs. Mary Hansen.

Estate of Ellis R. Taylor, deceased. Administrator discharged.

Estate of Antonio C. Souza, deceased. Executrix discharged.

Nels H. Holm vs Elna Holm. Action for divorce submitted on report of court commissioner.

Estate of Eva B. Cameron, deceased. Executrix discharged.

Katherine A. Perkins vs Ukiah Production Credit Association. Demurrer to amended complaint sustained.

D. C. Smith vs B. F. Fulwider. Demurrer of Columbia Casualty Co. overruled.

Mary Lightfoot vs Wm. Stewart. Set for trial Feb. 14.

E. M. Judge vs City of Ft. Bragg. No counsel appearing for trial, matter re-set to Feb. 15.

Guardianship of William Buckman, incompetent. Account filed and matter dropped from calendar.

Guardianship of Nellie Olson, incompetent. Continued to Jan. 6 for accounting by previous guardian and Dec. 8 for accounting by present guardian.

Guardianship of Doreen Warner, minor. Hearing on petition for authority to sell property of minor continued to Dec. 23.

Estate of Charles E. Brown, deceased. Final account and report set for hearing Dec. 23.

Estate of Joe Senini, deceased. Continued to Dec. 23 for accounting.

Estate of Frances Purcell. Accounting set for hearing Jan. 26.

Guardianship of Albert Murray, incompetent. Account filed and noticed for hearing Jan. 6.

Guardianship of Elizabeth Haapala, incompetent. Continued to Jan. 20 for filing account.

Guardianship of Richard Ford, minor. Account filed and noticed for hearing Dec. 23.

Guardianship of Claude McFaul, incompetent. Guardian discharged.

Guardianship of John E. Shortridge, minor. Sale of real estate confirmed.

Estates of Edward Parker, Ezra W. Collins and Annie McDonald, deceased. Continued to Dec. 23.

Estate of Clarence M. Williams, deceased. Final account approved and distribution ordered made.

Estate of Joseph Balenovich, deceased. Continued to Jan. 6 for filing account.

Estate of Joe Viera, deceased. Accounting set for June 7.

Estate of Marie Cerruti, deceased. Final account approved and distribution ordered made to Agastino Cerruti.

Estate of Emma Huse, deceased. Continued to June 9.

Estate of Grant Kinney, deceased. Continued to Dec. 8

Estate of John M. Rupe, deceased. Final account and petition for distribution continued to Dec. 23.

Estate of Hilma Erickson, deceased. Final account approved and distribution ordered made to Andrew Erickson and Alice Mahaffy.

Estate of William T. Bohn, deceased. Account filed and set for hearing Jan. 6.

Estate of Christina Haas, deceased. Further hearing on petition for letters of administration with will annexed set for Dec. 23.

Estate of John W. Kohlburn, deceased. Decree granted establishing the fact of death as of Nov. 20, 1938.

Guardianship of Ralph and Clyde Zortman, minors. Notice of petition for appointment ordered by posting and hearing set for Dec. 19.

Estate of Richard R. Kearns, deceased. Decree granted establishing due and legal notice to creditors.

Estella Neighbours vs Geo. C. Neighbours. Action for divorce dropped from calendar on plaintiff's motion.

Clara L. Enochs vs Raymond C. Enochs. Further hearing on order to show cause, Feb. 10.

L. Hasel et al vs H. A. Brown et al. Submitted for decision.

Frank Scott vs Anna M. Gambrel. Plaintiff's demurrer withdrawn.

Lizzie Rathjens et al vs Wm. J. Kiefer et ux. Demurrer to second amended complaint set for hearing Dec. 23.

Harry J. Matthews vs Agricultural Prorate Commission. Hearing on demurrer and motion to strike portions of complaint continued to Jan. 6.

Ernest M. Erfurth vs J. M. Ginochio. Demurrer argued and submitted for decision.

Nels H. Holm vs Elna Holm. Plaintiff granted interlocutory decree of divorce on grounds of extreme cruelty.

People vs C. C. Montgomery. Further hearing on order requiring preparation of transcript on appeal continued to Dec. 23.

TRAVELOGUE

(BY E. V. A. MURPHEY)

(Continued From Last Week)

Left Los Angeles at 8:15 p. m. Wednesday to visit my cousin, Mrs. Charles Leslie Mitchell, and her family at San Antonio, and expect to arrive there Friday at 3:10 p. m., traveling by train. Weather is clear and cold. Woke up somewhere in Arizona—dawn on the desert—clear, cold light, bands of crimson, mauve and gold on the horizon, backed by crenellated peaks and heliotrope topless towers.

Stockmen Active.

Early as it was, the desert was a-stir. We had stopped at a water tank near corrals full of saddle horses and pens full of bawling cattle with cattle cars on sidings, evidently the final shipment of beef for the season.

In Desert Country.

A new adobe and several old ones. Indian cabins with brush shades; some cottonwoods, golden leaved, and then a perfect forest of sahuaros, the giant, fluted, organ-pipe cactus—not in bloom, but stately as always. Deeper and deeper into the desert the train drives on, until just beyond Tucson there is a marvelous wild cactus garden. The prickly pear; the barrel cactus; variations of the choya, which is the really vicious one and jumps at you. The night blooming ones are here too—the "Queen of the Night," from the root of which southern Nevada Indians make a powerful cardiac stimulant. Their name for this plant is "Pain in the heart."

Cotton Is In.

The smoke tree grows here and the ocotillo or coach whip, with thorny stems, is planted as a dooryard hedge near railroad cabins. The blossoms are scarlet and splendid in spring. Near Maricopa are cotton fields with Indians and negroes just finishing up.

Will Bring You Back.

We passed Hassayampa but saw nothing of the marvelous river of that name. It is said on good authority that anyone who drinks that water will return to Arizona again and again and will never be able to tell the truth again. Two names of cafes by the highway: "The Silver Saddle" and "The Quick and Dirty." At Bowie I got a picture of a two-story adobe ruin, looked as if it might have been a fort. One place is called Mescal from the many yuccas which grow there.

Antelope On Run.

We are approaching Lordsburg, New Mexico, between 5000 and 6000 feet elevation—A bunch of antelope literally flying from the train.

A Lovely Night.

Nightfall coming in. Scalloped and jagged peaks have receded to the background—the crisp white light of day retires to the far corners of the sky and in its place a filmy veil of pale blue mist unrolls over the landscape. We gaze entranced until the porter, practical soul, turns on the lights. Instantly the spell is broken and the long bright tunnel of the train bores onward through the night.

In Lone Star State.

Morning comes and we don't know where in Texas we are, but presently learn we are approaching the high bridge over the Pecos river, and an entirely new geological formation. High and weathered bluffs slope down to a blue-green narrow stream over which hover in vivid contrast countless flocks of belated white butterflies.

On The Rio Grande.

Flocks of sheep and goats appear and at Del Rio are wool and mohair warehouses. "Sleepy" Rio Grande is right—it glides along without a ripple; in places, like Powder River, "a mile wide and an inch deep." Long strings of cattle cars at Uvalde and bawling beef on sidings at Hondo—for it's round-up time in Texas.

Looks Prosperous.

After passing Uvalde we come into farming country—long stretches of wheat and other grain fields. The town of Sabinal looks thrifty, with many brick buildings. Many adobes in Arizona, not as many this far in Texas.

Grandma Is There.

Grandma is coming into her own. There are three of her on this train, ranging in years from 75 to 85. Each one, with glossy white hair and active ideas, had been out to the cool coast through the hot weather to see the grandchildren and maybe the great-grands, and were now going home to take out their knitting and dwell happily and conversationally on the fine visits they had had. One was for Atlanta, one for San Antone and one for N'Yawlins. They had the babies' pictures with them, too.

At Destination's End.

San Antonio, at last, and my own folks at the station to greet me. My cousin, Mrs. Mitchell and her daughter, visited me in Covelo about seven years ago but I had not seen Mrs. Mitchell's father, Mr. Jennison, in 35 years. He was formerly my guardian and we all were born in Albany, New York. Colonel Mitchell is an army officer at Fort Sam Houston, one of the oldest posts in Texas.

In The Army Now.

The day after my arrival I attended the Second Division horse show and discovered that, by virtue of my relationship to the Colonel, I was in the army now. Five to six thousand troops are stationed here. There are three airfields — Kelly, Brooks and Randolph. There are service and supply troops, ordnance and medical divisions and a fine new hospital of 1500-bed capacity. General John J. Pershing is there now for a check-up. On account of proximity to the Mexican border there are patrols of various kinds, companies of artillery and infantry. The artillery has recenty been motorized and great was the mourning over horses, which had been transferred to Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Horse Show Was Ornate.

The horse show was held on a huge parade ground with innumerable corrals, grandstands and paddocks—warming and crowding paddocks. The grandstand had a back row of fluttering small flags which bore regimental insignia. I was informed these small flags were called guidons—the red ones with gold field pieces on them were for artillery and the blue with crossed rifles for infantry.

All Were Swanky.

Nearly every man was in uniform looking practically perfect and apparently feeling the same way. The lady and children riders wore either riding breeches or jodhpurs, with flat-footed English boots and derby hats, if any hats were worn. They carried hunting crops and rode English saddles with white saddle cloths, with occasionally an Indian saddle blanket.

Put Out Music.

The officers rode English saddles, but enlisted men rode the old McClellan saddle. There were two bands which played real army music, not jazz or swing.

John Coolidge There.

In charge of ushers was Lieutenant John Coolidge, son of the former president. Ladies' hacks opened the show and were shown at walk, trot and gallop. My cousin's horse won third prize. Polo mounts were ridden, mallet in hand, and were judged for manners, handiness, speed and conformation. The prize winner in this event was a beautiful chestnut, "War Torch," granddaughter of War Admiral.

The Men's Show.

The team race was open to enlisted men only and all rode government mounts. Each team consisted of two riders, two horses, two blankets, two stripped McClellan saddles, two bridles and two halters. Four lines were marked on the ground — first, starting line where both men were mounted bareback, without bridle, on same horse. At starting signal they ride double to second line where second horse is tied bareback and without bridle, the spare rider secures his horse, mounts and rides to third line where both riders bridle and saddle and ride together to fourth line, finish. Teams must cross finish line together.

Reason For Detail.

This has been given at length because Mendocino county might want to try it some day. It was fun to watch it. Musical chairs, open to enlisted men only; equipment, horse and bridle, no saddle. The band furnished music. Little iron folding chairs were placed; 15 contestants taking part. Most amusing—like "Going To Jerusalem." Music stops, grab a chair. Sometimes the horse sat on the chair first. "Fault and Out" had 20 contestants, many of whom were civilians, four were army children. This was a series of jumps over nine obstacles, none exceeding three feet nine inches. Some horses showed stage fright and some riders were plainly to blame.

Children Competed.

In the afternoon were two classes of children's events—first for children 14 years and up, second up to 13, some not more than eight years old. The children very plainly had much training and talked learnedly about leading with wrong foot, curb bits, etc. There was a third children's event in pairs, all evolutions gone through with simultaneously. Pigtails are coming back. The first prize winners in this class was a pair of sisters, eight and 12 years old, with long braids and earnest looks. The gaited classes, three and five-gaits, were shown entirely by ladies, very well done according to local horsemen; private horses. Then there were series of jump teams, no jump exceeding four feet, and hunt teams of three horses over jumps. These were remarkable for grace and beauty.

An Olympic Dressage horse was shown, Knight of Khartoum, 11-year-old half thoroughbred, ridden by Captain Barnes, of Fort Sill, Oklahoma, in blue dress uniform. This horse went to the Olympic games last year as alternate and had opportunity there to show his mettle. This was one of the handsomest animals I have ever seen and by far the most intelligent. The dark bay horse, without any apparent movement on the part of the rider's hands, changed gaits from one foot to another, in perfect timing and without the slightest hesitation. The announcer was good, too, and exactly as he called the gait the horse would execute it.

A Dog Hunt.

Sunday morning, Colonel Arnold, of Fort Sill, as master of hounds, and four other officers acting as whippers-in, put on a drag hunt. They had with them about 20 fine foxhounds, all alike but two, one of which was a mate for Pico of Round Valley fame—this was the leader—the second in command was an all brown large hound, like Woodrow. The officers wore typical British riding costume — bright red coats, white trousers, snappy little black velvet jockey caps and funny little snubnosed spurs. The fox, dead, had previously been dragged over a rough and ready course. A bugler gave musical directions. One retired colonel had decided to join the hunt with horse and buggy, and pretty girl beside him, but he reckoned without his horse which had been to such affairs before. When the dogs were well away in full cry and the riders, 100 strong, streamed by him, this veteran of many races, took off on a gallop. The girl was driving. At a ditch they dropped the colonel, the buggy righted and they went madly on at full speed until the shafts parted with the buggy, and all upset. Like clockwork the army ambulance started to the scene, but the plucky girl scrambled up, took a horse from an orderly and continued the hunt, coming in fresh as a daisy an hour later.

Next letter—Pan-American Round Table Luncheon.

SUIT ON NOTE FILED

Charles Field of Point Arena is defendant in a suit filed by J. W. McMillen, who seeks to foreclose a mortgage on five acres of coast land—security given for a promissory note made September 13, 1934, for $300.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mattila, of Comptche, were here on a shopping tour Thursday afternoon.

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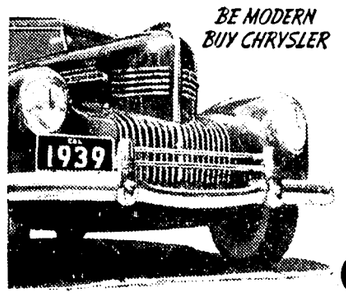

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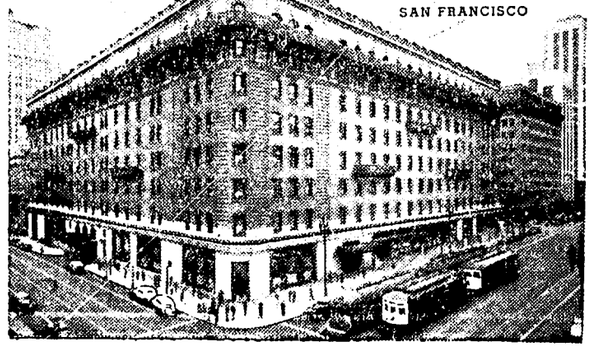

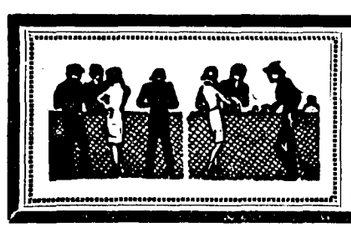

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We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends for their expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings, and to Rev. F. A. Lashier and members of the Adventist Church for the acts of kindness tendered us during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. J. F. Kyle.
Enos Kyle.

Obituary Notice

LILLEY, William Green.—In San Francisco Saturday, December 17. A native of Albion, age 70 years.

Beloved husband of Minnie S. Lilley; loving brother of Walter H. Lilley of Palo Alto, John Lilley of Roseville, Mrs. Elmer Wolfe of Roseville, and Mrs. Geo. Ottoson of Ukiah.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, December 20, at 10 o'clock, from Eversole Mortuary, Rev. L. G. Brown officiating; interment was at Little River.

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O. E. S. Holds Election.

Willits Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, installed new officers at a special meeting Saturday night. The usual turkey supper in the banquet room preceded the ceremony. The 1939 officers are: Blanche Robinson, worthy matron; Barton Ducker, worthy patron; Orletta Nelson, associate matron; Arthur Thompson, associate patron; Rose Steele, secretary; Nellie Wolff, treasurer; Ruth Lawrason, conductress; Viola Ells, associate conductress; Edith Roelle, chaplain; Nellie Moore, marshal; Flora Saxon, organist; Beverly Fisher, Ada; Ellen Black, Ruth; Hattie Olson, Esther; Mary Estill, Martha; Alice Tropper, Electa; Gladys Cave, warder; Lizzie Stowell, sentinel, and Mecca McPeak, flag bearer.

Mrs. Van Cleemput Sick.

Mrs. Mary Van Cleemput had a slight stroke of apoplexy the first of the week and is now at Howard Memorial Hospital. Reports from the hospital Sunday morning stated Mrs. Van Cleemput shows a gradual improvement and what she needs most now is rest. Mrs. Van Cleemput owns both Hotel Van and Hotel Willits and has overtaxed herself attending to the business.

Married In Ukiah.

Herman Pflitsch and Hattie Unterein were married at Ukiah last week by the superior judge. Both are middle aged people and have lived in this vicinity about nine years.

E. Beneditti passed several days last week in San Francisco.

At Lodge Meeting.

Chas. Hodge, Fred Nelson, Leslie Leger, Orville Archer, George Jamieson, Arthur Thompson and Walter Tracy motored to Ukiah Friday night to attend Abel Masonic lodge. The third degree was conferred upon Prof. J. C. Roberts of Ukiah high school faculty.

Came For Parents.

Foster Case motored up from Los Angeles yesterday and returned home today. He was accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Case, who will pass two months visiting their three sons in southern California.

Sold His Ranch.

Fred Simmerley has sold his 600-acre stock ranch at Spyrock to T. L. Jeffery, of Williams. This is considered one of the best stock ranches in that part of the county, for it has both summer and winter range and all of the stock and farm implements were included in the sale. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simmerley have left for Eureka where they will pass the holiday season with their son, after which they have several plans to decide on. The new owners have already taken possession of their place and are very much pleased with Mendocino county.

Gus Groen went to San Francisco the first of the week on business.

Clerking During Rush.

Mrs. Louis Sereventi, nee Gemma Pedroncelli, came up from her home in Oakland last week and is back at her old job at The Toggery during the Christmas rush.

Mayor's Foot Bothers.

Mayor W. F. Whitney has been confined to his home several days by a badly infected foot.

Mrs. Clark Hill came in from Farley Thursday to do some shopping.

Mrs. M. Paravicini and son have returned from a two weeks' visit with her mother in Santa Rosa.

Joe Hads returned from a month's visit at his old home in Portland.

County Official Here.

County Treasurer Clair Smith came up from Ukiah a few days ago on a business and pleasure trip.

Making Good In Big City.

Leslie Beaupre has moved to San Francisco to accept a situation with a trucking company.

Tan Oak's Rainfall Lagging.

L. W. Spangler and son accompanied by his mother, Mrs. L. A. Spangler, was down from Tan Oak Park a few days ago. Mr. Spangler reports they have had a little more than 27 inches of rain so far this season and last year they rolled up a total of 118 inches for the season.

Has Latest Sedan.

Supervisor Duane Bittenbender has taken delivery of a 1939 model sport sedan through the Lewis Chevrolet Company.

New Safeway Store Ready.

The finishing touches were put on the new Safeway building last Friday and the cleaning up of the building and grounds took place yesterday. This building faces West Valley street, which is also where the Willits-Fort Bragg road starts and it will be the most southerly of any store in that line of business and this shows how our city is growing. The store space is just about double that of the store now occupied by Safeway and Max Estil, the manager, tells us they will add very materially to their stock and carry some new lines of goods. This was impossible in the old quarters on account of lack of space.

Opens First Of Year.

The store already bears a metropolitan appearance and the company's efficiency expert has been here and taken all of the measurements for the fixtures which will all be new and were manufactured in San Francisco. These fixtures will arrive here the first of the week and will be installed by the company's trained crew. Owing to this being the holiday season the new store will not be open for business until the first of the year and an entire new stock of goods will be installed. The quarters they occupy at present will then be closed and the remaining goods will be hauled to the new store.

Provides Free Parking.

Probably the most pronounced innovation connected with the new place of business is the free parking space on the lots between the store and Valley street. The building which used to occupy this space was torn down, the lot was filled and graveled and has car approaches through the sidewalk on both streets. This is something new for Willits but is very popular in the southern part of the state.

Weather Bad For Trees.

Our attention has been called to the fact the buds on willow and some fruit trees are now swelling, which is something that should not happen in December. We can always count on a severe January freeze and this will play havoc with the buds.

DEATH CALLS CITY PIONEER

Mrs. Alice McCorquodale Dies At Age Of 72 Years

In the passing of Mrs. Alice McCorquodale Wednesday at her home on North Oak street at the age of 72 years one of Ukiah's old time residents was taken. Mrs. McCorquodale had lived here 41 years.

A Noble Character.

Deceased was a Christian woman who daily lived his life. Mrs. McCorquodale's husband and two sons, Berry and Lyle, passed on several years ago. For years past Mrs. McCorquodale has been an active leader in church duties and was a devoted mother and loving wife.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon from Eversole's Mortuary, Rev. L. G. Brown officiating.

Hospital Kept Busy.

As usual Howard Memorial Hospital is filled to capacity but most of the cases are for medical care. A baby girl was born to Mrs. Helen Page Monday. Mrs. Wilma Camp underwent a major operation Tuesday. Johnny Pollard, the jockey employed by Chas. Howard to ride Seabiscuit, is gradually improving according to Dr. R. A. Babcock. Mrs. Alicia Cureton was badly burned about the face and neck when the oven of her cookstove exploded. Her injuries proved more painful than serious.

Pioneer Died In Sacramento.

William Rowlison, 78, died at Sacramento last week. He was a son of one of our pioneer residents and lived here when he was a boy.

90 Days For Overcoat Theft.

Arthur George was sentenced to 90 days in the county jail by Judge A. M. Sacry Tuesday. Mr. George is one of the WPA workers at Camp Farley and stole an overcoat from the cloakroom of the W. I. C. hall during a card party. Chief Jake Thom did some clever detective work in which he was assisted by officers of the camp.

Sewer Extension Completed.

Our $42,000 sewer project was completed and accepted by the city last week. Harvey Conner, the contractor, is given credit for having done a splendid job and our city now has one of the best and most complete sewer systems of any city in this part of the state. Last spring the city voted in favor of a $25,000 bond issue and received an appropriation of $20,108 from the PWA to finance the contract. Not less than $10,000 was paid out to local labor on the project and practically all of this has already been circulated among local businessmen. Approximately 8000 feet of pipe was used for the sanitary sewer system in addition to which several thousand feet of storm sewer was laid. The septic tank which cares for our sanitary sewage disposal was enlarged sufficient to take care of more than the present demands.

Plenty Large Now.

This was the fourth extension to our sewer system. The first sewer system was installed by the Northwestern Redwood Company in 1901 and the next large project was in 1908. This last extension takes care of all those portions of the city which occupied too low a level to be served by the other systems.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Santa Clara.
In the Matter of the Estate of ANNIE J. BATES, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Annie J. Bates, Deceased, that he will sell, at private sale, to the highest bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, and subject to confirmation by the above entitled Superior Court, on or after Friday, the sixth day of January, 1939, at ten o'clock a. m. of said day, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Annie J. Bates, at the time of her death, in and to the real property hereinafter described, and all the right, title and interest which said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than and in addition to that of deceased at the time of her death, in and to said real property.

The real property mentioned above consists of all that certain parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, described as follows, to wit:

Lots Two, Seven and Ten in Section Seven; the Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter of Section Six; the Southwest quarter of Southwest quarter of Section Eight; all being in Township Eighteen North, Range Twelve West Mount Diablo Meridian, and containing 202.31 acres, more or less.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE: Cash in lawful money of the United States; ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale; balance on confirmation of sale. Bids must be accompanied with a deposit of ten per cent (10%) of the sum bid.

All bids must be in writing and left at the office of Bohnett, Hill, Cottrell & Beccardo, 1114 Bank of America Building, San Jose, California, or filed in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled court, or may be delivered to said Executor.

Dated: December 20th, 1938.
J. J. SCHMIDT, Executor,
By Bohnett, Hill, Cottrell & Beccardo,
By H. G. HILL,
His Attorneys.

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All persons having claims against MARTHA ANN TOLES, also known as MARTHA A. TOLES and MARTHA TOLES, deceased, are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the County Clerk at Ukiah, California, or to present them with the necessary vouchers to the undersigned executor at the offices of MANNON & BRAZIER at Ukiah, California, within six months after the 7th day of December, 1938.

CHARLES M. MANNON,
As Executor of the Last Will and Testament of said Decedent.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE B. MASON, also known as GEORGE MASON, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned FRANK EMENEGGER, the administrator of the estate of George B. Mason, also known as George Mason, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to file them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the county of Mendocino or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said FRANK EMENEGGER, administrator of the estate of George B. Mason, also known as George Mason, deceased, at the law offices of Lounibos & Lounibos, Realty Building, 32 Washington Street, Petaluma, California, the same being the place of business in all matters connected with said estate of George B. Mason, also known as George Mason, deceased.

FRANK EMENEGGER,
the administrator of the estate of George B. Mason, also known as George Mason, deceased.

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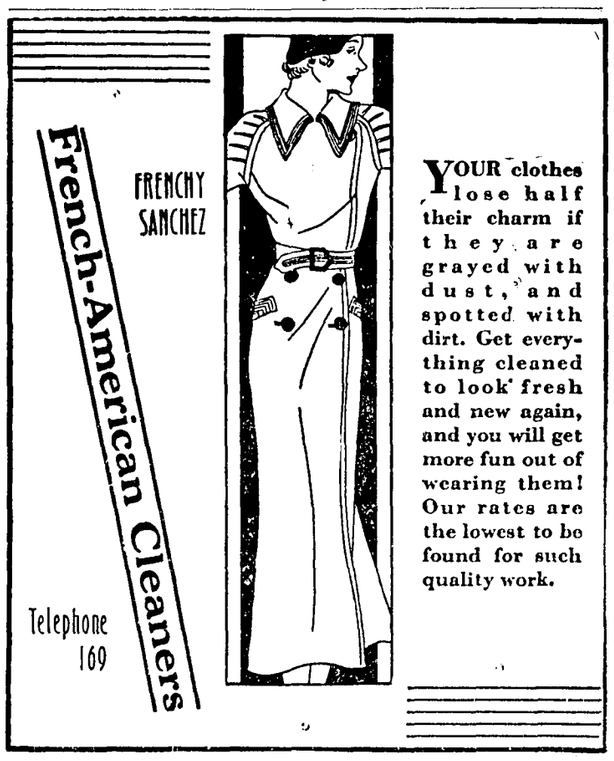

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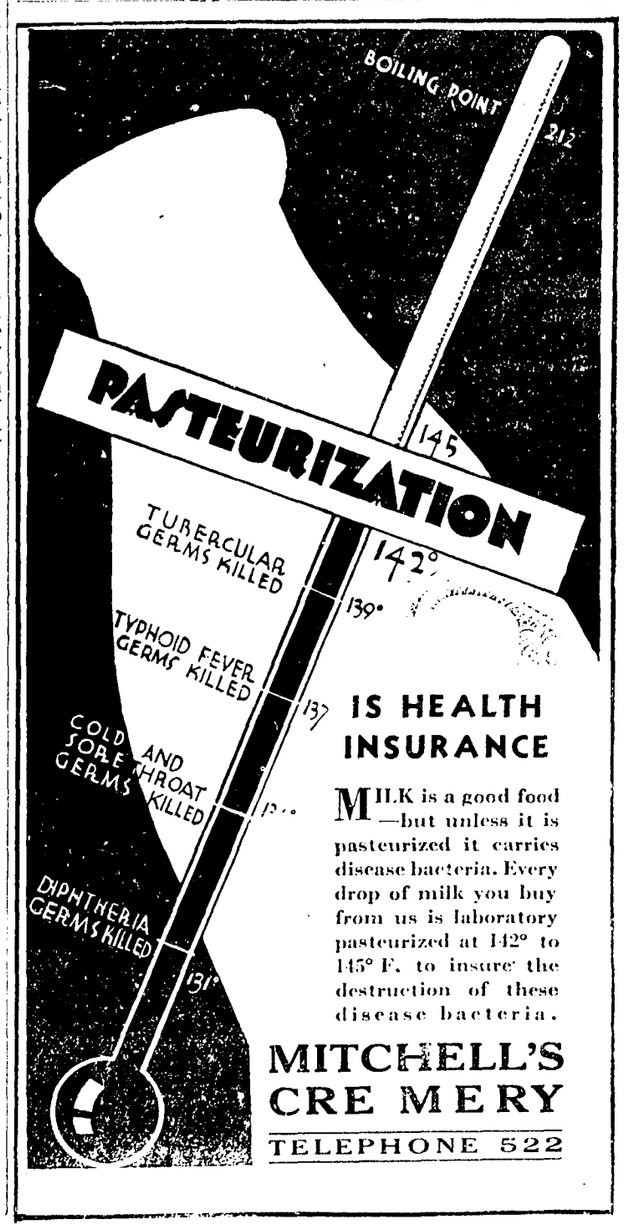

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The will of J. R. Jameson, who died last week at his home on Gibson street, has been filed for probate. Mr. Jameson left assets of over $7000, more than $3000 of which is cash.

Estate Left In Trust.

Disposition of the property is set out fully in the will and codicil, which provide life estates for his wife, Elizabeth, and daughter, Lera, in the Gibson street home, with generous monthly allowances of cash during their lifetime. Mrs. Jameson preceded her husband in death by a few days. The Bank of America is made trustee under the will with authority to convert all real property into cash for the benefit of the other heirs, Earl Jameson of San Francisco, a son, and Perry Keel of Ukiah, a stepson, to be divided equally in the event of the death of the daughter. Attorney Charles Kasch is named executor.

NEW NURSE AT PET HOSPITAL

Mrs. Lora Flowers, of Eureka, arrived yesterday to assume the position of hospital attendant in Ukiah's new Veterinary Hospital operated by Dr. E. C. Morris at 108 West Church street. Mrs. Flowers is an experienced small animal handler and will be capable of relieving Dr. Morris so as to permit more time for his large animal practice outside.

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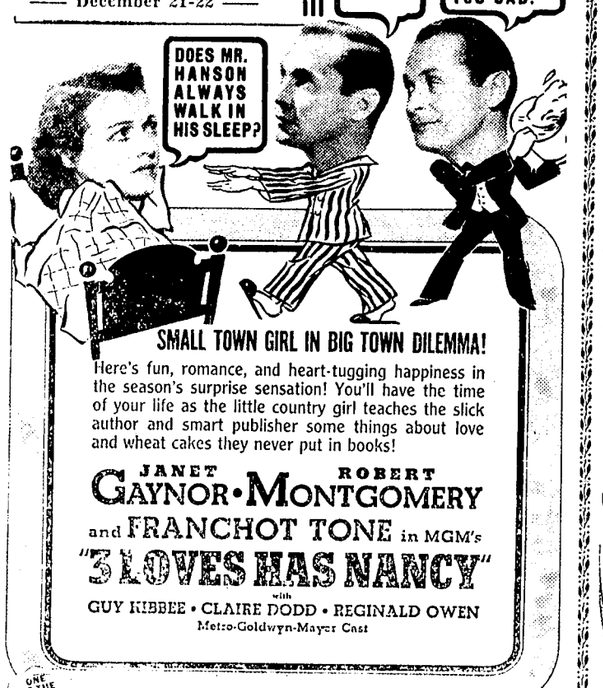

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— ADDED SHORT SUBJECTS —

LATEST FOX NEWS SHOTS

SCREEN SNAPSHOTS —— BETTY BOOP CARTOON

ONLY 6 FAIL FEDERAL TEST

Two Seeking Citizenship Would Change Their Names

Of the 43 applicants for citizenship, whose names were published in last week's Republican Press, only six failed to pass the rigid examinations held here Thursday.

Get Another Try.

These six applications were continued to the time of the next examination, in June. Four others, who were unable to make the trip, must also appear for the June examination. They are Giovanni Romero, C. H. Fletcher and Delfina Barilani of Fort Bragg, and Katherine Kyle of Ukiah.

Would Change Names.

Two of the successful applicants were given permission to change their names. They are Jaako Ilmari Bom, of Fort Bragg, to Ilmar Jack Carlson; Antonio Mendonca Permenteiro, of Fort Bragg, to Anthony Mendoza Fermenteiro .

Mrs. Strauss Has Settled 2 Claims

Mrs. Annette Strauss, widow of Joseph B. Strauss, Golden Gate bridge builder, has settled with the Government for $57,914.18 taxes on the income of herself and her husband in 1933 and 1934. This was disclosed when Clifford C. Anglim, internal revenue collector, lifted a lien on the Strauss property. Mrs. Strauss' settlement ends a losing fight, which has been carried to the United States supreme court by both her husband and herself. Engineer Strauss contended he should not be taxed because he was a state official and therefore exempt.

2 Coast Bridgemen Suffered Injuries

Bridge Foreman Hans Hoyer, of the State crew and one of his helpers, Homer Gowey, working the night shift at Greenwood bridge, were injured Friday night when the men were struck by timbers. Greenwood bridge is a main cog in coast travel and Foreman Hoyer and two crews have been working night and day to have the repairs completed as soon as possible. In the handling of a timber Foreman Hoyer was knocked off a platform and the timber fell, striking Mr. Gowey, on the ground. Both men were taken to Redwood Coast Hospital.

County Would Be Able To Save Lot

Furnishing of county-owned automobies for the Sonoma sheriff's office, thus abolishing the high mileage which for years has been paid the sheriff to operate privately owned cars, was agreed on by the board of supervisors of Sonoma county and there is a general sentiment a like procedure here would result in a big saving to the taxpayers. A move to ask the supervisors to follow the lead of Sonoma county will, it is believed, be made shortly.

INN BURNED

Hartsook's Inn, near Richardson's Grove, was burned Wednesday last. The resort had been closed for the season. Fire was of an undetermined origin. The loss was $30,000.

Miss Erma Zeek student at University of California returned Monday to enjoy the Holidays at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Zeek.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Clarke, of Laytonville, accompanied by their charming daughters, were here Wednesday.

COMING!

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY

DECEMBER 29-30

ERROR DELAYS FINAL DECREE

Rowland Divorce Will Wait Another Year For Judgment

Delayed filing of the interlocutory decree of divorce, which was granted Victorine Rowland August 26, 1937, has postponed entry of the final decree until August 30 next year.

Judgment Was Delayed.

The divorce action of Mrs. Rowland was submitted to superior court on the report of J. W. Kingren, court commissioner, and the interlocutory judgment given August 23, 1937, but the judgment was not signed and entered until August 29, of this year. Recently Floyd Rowland filed his application for an order directing entry and interlocutory judgment as of the date given, in an effort to make way for an immediate final decree. The application was denied.

Rainfall Falling Below Year Of '38

The Willits rainfall total remained at 17.14 inches, as only a trace of rain was recorded during the past week's inclement weather, according to Northwestern Pacific Railroad depot records. Snow and rain threatened during the week, the extremely cold weather Monday and Tuesday bringing out heavy topcoats and fur-lined mittens in great numbers. The rainfall total at this same time last year scaled the 34.79-inch mark, over twice the amount that has fallen there to date during the present winter, statistics reveal.

Buyer's Delinquency Brings Act To Annul

Victor Rauland, of Cutten, Humboldt county, seeks to set aside an agreement to sell 30 acres of land near Fort Bragg and has filed suit to quiet title to the property which he sold to Edgar Lawrence of Fort Bragg for $1200, through an agreement signed March 15, 1935. The action is based on asserted monthly installments delinquent since July 15, 1937, and on Mr. Lawrence's claims, which create a cloud on the title.

Mrs. Hopper Files Probate Petition

Mrs. Clara R. Hopper, of Potter Valley, filed petition for letters of administration in the estate of her late husband, T. G. Hopper, with the alternate request to have the entire estate set aside to her. The real property is a Potter Valley ranch worth approximately $2500. Heirs at law are the petitioner and her three children, Thomas, David and Phoebe Hopper, all minors. Mr. Hopper died November 8.

Another Auditor For Mendocino Co.

Appointment of Ashton Whitney, former Los Angeles man, as auditor for the State Board of Equalization for the Mendocino coast district, was announced Thursday by District Administrator William G. Shackleton. Auditor Whitney will have headquarters and his home in Fort Bragg. He will have charge of the contiguous territory from Point Arena to Rockport.

Play Basketball Practice Games

This evening there will be a return game between Healdsburg and Ukiah following Friday's game when Ukiah high teams went to Healdsburg with resultant victory of 13 to 8 for Ukiah A's and loss for the home B's in a score of 22 to 17. Friday, the last day of the semester, Kelseyville teams will play here.

A Willits Boy Is Doing Good Work

Corbett's Column, a feature published in "The Oak Leaf," the newspaper of The Santa Rosa Junior College, attracts one by the merit it reflects. The column is edited by Bob. Corbett, son of Mrs. Nellie Corbett, of Willits, and shows a lot of journalistic ability.

Press Want Ads always pay

Personal Mention

B. H. Sanders who is a member of the San Quentin guard line motored up from the Bay Thursday.

Jack Sutton came in from his ranch near Orr Springs to attend to business in town Wednesday last.

Mrs. Signe Roberts was here Thursday and Friday attending to business matters. She moved from Ukiah to San Francisco last year.

Elmer Weger and son Donald drove to Fort Bragg Wednesday and returned by the way of Willits and Ukiah to their home at Orr's Springs.

George Heyward, Willits lumber dealer, was in Ukiah Friday morning to attend to legal matters at the county recorder's office.

BACK FROM CITY

Mrs. A. R. Steiert returned last week from San Francisco where she enjoyed a stay of 10 days at the home of her daughter Mrs. Paige W. Payne.

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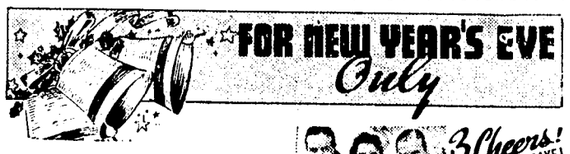

SPECIAL MIDNIGHT SHOW

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31 STARTS AT 11:45 P. M.